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COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED GOODS ON JULY 1, 1918

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

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The canned goods for which information is here presented include canned meats, canned soup, canned salmon, canned sardines, canned tomatoes, canned corn, canned peas, canned baked beans, miscella-neous canned vegetables (string beans, lima beans, pumpkin, aspara-gus, etc.), canned fruits and berries, and preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups.

The total commercial supply of these commodities on hand and in transit, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by manufacturers (including both canners or packers and firms using the canned goods as materials), storage houses, and wholesale dealers were as follows: Canned meats, 60,103,807 pounds; canned soup, 53,925,834 pounds; canned salmon, 141,719,281 pounds; canned sardines, 43,082,944 pounds; canned tomatoes, 116,811,885 pounds; canned corn, 52,326,315 pounds; canned peas, 131,161,336 pounds; canned baked beans, 108.130,411 pounds; miscellaneous canned vegetables, 205,632,497 pounds; canned fruits and berries, 260,-131,943 pounds; preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups, 67,922,655 pounds.

The figures for goods in transit were obtained under the following instructions: "Report as in transit the total quantity which you have recently shipped, and which you believe has not been delivered to the purchaser or consignee." The quantities of these commodities thus reported as in transit were as follows: Canned meats. 3,398,721 pounds; canned soup, 767,773 pounds; canned salmon, 4.556,741 pounds; canned sardines, 3.468,390 pounds; canned tomatoes, 1.171.346 pounds; canned corn, 773.405 pounds; canned peas, 2.872,634 pounds; canned baked beans, 9.826,579 pounds; miscellaneous canned vegetables, 7,412,449 pounds; canned fruits and

berries, 8.387,557 pounds; preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups, 3.271,580 pounds.
The reports covering the retail stocks of these commodities for July 1, 1918, are in process of tabulation and the figures will be published later. Some idea of the relative importance of the retail stocks may be obtained from the Survey of January 1, 1918, in which it was found that the stocks in the hands of retailers represented the following percentages of the total commercial stocks of the commodities here considered: Canned meats, 12.8 per cent; canned soup, 23.8 per cent; canned salmon, 21.0 per cent; canned sardines, 23.3 per cent; canned tomatoes, 30.8 per cent; canned

corn, 40.7 per cent; canned peas, 38.2 per cent; canned baked beans, 43.9 per cent; miscellaneous canned vegetables, 24.9 per cent; canned fruits and berries, 16.8 per cent; preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups, 27.6 per cent.

The stocks of the commodities here considered were in all cases larger on the date of the Survey than they were one year earlier. While in the case of canned meats, canned sardines, and canned corn the increase in stocks was relatively small, it amounted to a considerable percentage in the case of the other eight commodities. The largest increase was shown in the case of miscellaneous canned vegetables, the stocks of which on the date of the Survey were 56.5 per cent larger than those held by the same firms one year earlier. The percentages of increase for the other commodities were as follows: Canned meats, 2.1 per cent; canned soup, 35.9 per cent; canned salmon, 49.8 per cent; canned sardines, 6.4 per cent; canned tomatoes, 12.8 per cent; canned corn, 0.9 per cent; canned peas, 35.6 per cent; canned baked beans, 46.9 per cent; miscellaneous canned vegetables, 56.5 per cent; canned fruits and berries, 38.8 per cent; preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups, 22.1 per

Some of the most important figures relating to the commodities of this group are presented in summary form in Table 1.

Table 1.—Summary of United States totals—Commercial stocks of canned goods, not including retail stocks.

	Total stocks reported	Comparate firms re 19	Quantity reported as in		
COMMODITY.	as on hand	1918 st	cocks.		transit
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.
Canned meats	Pounds. 56,705,086	Pounds. 48,206,152	102.1	Pounds. 47,232,834	Pounds. 3,398,721
Canned soup	53,158,061	45,443,685	135.9	33,446,688	767,778
Canned salmon	137,162,540	111,240,281	149.8	74,272,489	4,556,741
Canned sardines	39,614,554	27,020,919	106.4	25,394,940	3,468,390
Canned tomatoes	115,640,539	89,487,503	112.8	79,311,021	1,171,346
Canned corn	51,552,910	41,463,117	100.9	41,109,081	773,405
Canned peas	128,288,702	102,633,537	135.6	75,678,499	2,872,634
Canned baked beans	98,303,832	83,965,567	146.9	57,145,821	9,826,579
Miscellaneous canned vegetables	198,220,048	146,312,980	156.5	93,501,442	7,412,449
Canned fruits and berries	251,744,386	198,218,197	138.8	142,843,707	8,387,557
Preserves, etc.	64,651,075	53,715,964	122.1	43,978,392	3,271,580

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED MEATS

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

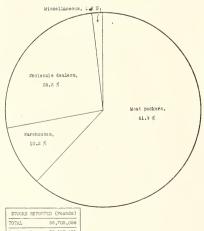
The commercial stocks of canned meats (including canned sausage and canned poultry), together with the quantities in, transit, as reported by classes of business other than retail dealers, in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, amounted to 60,103,807 pounds. Of this amount, 56,705,086 pounds were reported as on hand and 3,398,721 pounds as in transit. Of the stocks reported as actually on hand by the classes of business here considered, the meat packers held 61.9 per cent; the warehouses, 10.2 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 26.2 per cent; and a miscellaneous group of firms, 1.7 per cent. The stocks reported by each of these classes of business concerns, as well as by several subclasses, are given in the first column of Table 2. The quantities reported as in transit are also given, in the last column of the table. The relative stocks reported by the several classes above enumerated are shown in graphic form in Diagram 1.

The number of reports received and tabulated for canned meats is shown, by classes of business, in Table 3.

Table 2.—Stocks of canned meats reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported	Comparat firms re 19	Quantity reported as in		
Class of business.	as on hand	1918 st	ocks.		transit
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity. Per cen of 1917		1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.
Total	Pounds. 56,705,086	Pounds. 48,206,152	102.1	Pounds, 47,232,834	Pounds. 3,398,721
Meat packers	35,127,051	33,451,776	104.5	31,996,138	2,634,026
Warehouses	5,782,527	1,434,744	87.6	1,637,245	862
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers - Other wholesale	14,842,407 13,410,509	12,385,226 11,304,535	98.2 97.2	12,606,198 11,634,011	620,095 602,636
dealers	1,431,898	1,080,691	111.1	972,187	17,459
Miscellaneous Canners Other miscellaneous	953,101 723,431 229,670	934,406 723,431 210,975	94.0 83.3 17.0	993,253 868,852 124,401	143,738 142,800 938

Diagram 1.—Distribution of Total Stocks of Canned Meats Reported for July 1, 1918, by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers.



TOTAL	56,705,086
Moat packers Warehouses	35,127,051 5,782,527
Wholesale dealers hiscellaneous	14,342,407 953,101

Table 3.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned meats.

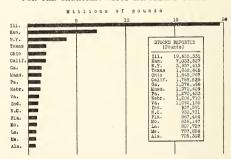
CLASS OF BUSINESS.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	4,935	3,975
Meat packers	717	674
Warehouses	61	35
Wholesale dealers	3,631 3,306 325	2,928 2,664 264
Miscellaneous Canners Other miscellaneous	263 11 252	169 11 158

Geographic Distribution of Stocks Reported.

The geographic distribution of the stocks of canned meats here considered is shown in Table 4. The East North Central division far outranked all other geographic divisions in stocks of this commodity reported, the West North Central division ranking second. The figures for individual states indicate that the showing made by the East North Central division was due almost entirely to the state of Illinois, which alone reported considerably more than one-third of the stocks reported for the entire country. The rank of the West North Central division was in large measure due to the state of Kansas, which reported about one-eighth of the total for the United States. The stocks of canned meats reported for the eighteen most important states are represented graphically in Diagram 2.

Figures representing the quantities of canned meats reported as in transit are given by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 4.

DIAGRAM 2.—STOCKS OF CANNED MEATS REPORTED BY MANUFAC-TURERS, STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS FOR THE EIGHTEEN MOST IMPORTANT STATES.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

About 85 per cent of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year reports are given by classes of business in Table 2, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 5. From these figures it appears that the stocks of the warehouses, the wholesale dealers, and the miscellaneous group of firms were somewhat smaller on the date of the Survey than they were one year earlier. The stocks of the meat packers, the most important class of holders of this commodity, however, were 4.5 per cent larger on the date of the Survey than they were one year earlier. The total stocks of canned meats reported for July 1, 1918, were 2.1 per cent larger than those held by the same firms on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are graphically represented, for the meat packers, the warehouses, and the wholesale dealers, in Diagram 3.

Table 4.—Stocks of canned meats reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

		5	STOCKS REPORT	ED AS ON HANI	JULY 1, 1918.			
				W	holesale dealer	s.		Quantity reported as in transit on July 1, 1918.
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	TOTAL.	Meat packers.	Warehouses.	Total.	Wholesale grocers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Miscella- neous.	
United States	Pounds. 56,705,086	Pounds. 35,127,051	Pounds. 5,782,527	Pounds. 14,842,407	Pounds. 13,410,509	Pounds. 1,431,898	Pounds. 953,101	Pounds. 3,398,721
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS:								
New England	2,712,451	1,227,097	233,163	910,821	711,140	199,681	341,370	44,204
Middle Atlantic	5,530,688	2,069,355	1,806,152	1,460,537	1,261,993	198,544	194,644	26,134
East North Central	22,779,970	18,320,909	3,092,994	1,149,367	1,110,160	39,207	216,700	2,234,418
West North Central South Atlantic	10,260,489 5,916,568	8,507,980 1,978,576	172,970 199,958	1,486,995 3,667,166	. 1,439,174 3,101,943	47,821 565,223	92,544 70,868	978,424 46,593
East South Central	1,881,783	293,683	131,063	1,455,142	1,407,561	47,581	1,895	16,867
West South Central	3,670,697	825,853	32,439	2,810,564	2,680,432	130,132	1,841	29,400
Mountain	1,424,679	434,152	19,213	969,034	880,455	88,579	2,280	9,634
Pacific	2,527,761	1,469,446	94,575	932,781	817.651	115,130	30,959	13,047
NEW ENGLAND:					1			
Maine	757,858	170,187	82,800	198,977	154,559	44,418	305,894	34,728
New Hampshire	96,091	25,941		69,934	39,699	30,235	216	892
Vermont Massachusetts	61,133 1,372,409	13,642 802,481	144,399	47,156 394,120	29,884 316,957	17,272 77,163	335 31,409	1,115 6,982
Rhode Island	171,718	92,357	5,964	71,343	44,731	26,612	2,054	157
Connecticut	253,242	122,489		129,291	125,310	3,981	1,462	330
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:								
New York	3,957.415	1,307,623	1,698,912	912,932	757,339	155,593	37,948	16,736
New Jersey	302,850	127,883	105.010	72,555	60,821	11,734	102,412	2,450
Pennsylvania	1,270,423	633,849	107,240	475,050	443,833	31,217	54,284	6,948
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:	1 045 007	1 400 500	1.000	110 712	126.046	5 505	1.140	49.150
OhioIndiana	1,845,267 937,591	1,400,582 797,779	1,000	442,543 138,074	436,948 129,329	5,595 8,745	1,142 1,738	42,150 120,510
Illinois	19,635,331	16,043,514	3,091,994	304,550	293,545	11,005	195,273	1,570,411
Michigan	249,758	36,730		211,735	199,251	12,484	1,293	500,762
Wisconsin	112,023	42,304		52,465	51,087	1,378	17,254	585
West North Central:								
Minnesota	353,503	94,378	3,852	255,024	247,455	7,569	249	9,482
lowa Missouri	610,607 838,147	272,022 327,997	375 134,128	248,278 374,255	245,879 372,995	2,399 1,260	89,932 1,767	3,205 5,655
North Dakota	150,659	78,740	151,120	71,915	66,796	5,119	4	1,904
South Dakota	67,336	13,911		53,425	53,149	276		1,368
Nebraska	1,206,710	1,031,230	2,260	172,874	172,733	141	346	571,707
Kansas	7,033,527	6,689,702	32,355	311,224	280,167	31,057	246	385,103
South Atlantic:	110.000	40.00		44.040		mo.	00.000	7.040
Delaware Maryland	118,223 658,377	43,687 406,577	34,600	11,840 216,949	11,767 172,148	73 44,801	62,696 251	5,642 6,406
District of Columbia	91,777	73,444	295	18,038	18,038	11,001	201	1,218
Virginia	1,092,185	338,099	124,500	628,338	518,906	109,432	1,248	4,001
West Virginia	341,157	61,608		276,585	274,142	2,443	2,964	6,737
North Carolina	932,731	290,305	5.104	639,549	395,887	243,662	2,877	7,638 1,030
South Carolina Georgia	438,168 1,376,466	88,987 348,349	5,184 35,379	343,997 992,553	307,555 894,743	36,442 97,810	185	10,767
Florida	867,484	327,520		539,317	508,757	30,560	647	3,154
East South Central:								
Kentucky	299,353	30,418		268,598	257,278	11,320	337	2,628
Tennessee.	390,864	44,160	22,048	324,046	306,200	17,846	610	3,938
Alabama	725,302 466,264	107,280 111,825	109,015	508,059 354,439	496,962 347,121	11,097 7,318	948	5,318 4,983
	100,201	111,020		554,465	011,121	1,010		1,000
West South Central: Arkansas	558,340	36,518		521,793	517,049	4,744	29	1,448
Louisiana	807,727	298,779	11,160	497,342	453,161	44,181	446	10,926
Oklahoma	441,985	48,801	4,539	388,515	384,306	4,209	130	2,753
Texas	1,862,645	441,755	16,740	1,402,914	1,325,916	76,998	1,236	14,273
Mountain:	171 500	PD 400		V7 500	04.000	2.604	400	1 010
Montana Idaho	171,509 187,058	83,493 32,897		87,530 154,103	84,836 143,391	2,694 10,712	486 58	1,813 650
Wyoming	22,910	32,001		22,751	22,751	10,112	159	760
Colorado	278,601	150,316	18,865	108,006	96,053	11,953	1,414	1,980
New Mexico	256,986		348	256,595	256,161	434	43	770
Arizona	158,488	51,212		107,276	103,092	4,184	100	1,071
Utah	303,626 45,501	73,837 42,397		229,669 3,104	171,067 3,104	58,602	120	2,050 540
	10,001	22,031		0,101	0,101			310
PACIFIC: Washington	491,674	216,750		274.558	181,360	93,198	366	5,550
Oregon	247,262	129,104		117,659	105,826	11,833	499	1,481
	1,788,825	1,123,592	94,575	540,564	530,465	10,099	30,094	6,016

DIAGRAM 3.—STOCKS OF CANNED MEATS REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, AND JULY 1, 1917. BY IMPORTANT CLASSES OF BUSINESS.

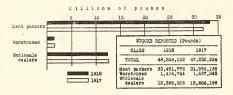


Table 5.—Comparative figures for canned meats—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917.
United States	Pounds. 48,206,152	Pounds. 47,232,834
Geographic divisions: New England Middle Atlantic East North Central West North Central South Atlantic East South Central South Atlantic East South Central West South Central Mountain Pacific	2,283,791 4,240,618 18,203,565 10,055,250 4,943,339 1,644,412 3,234,959 1,293,344 2,306,874	2,538,432 4,888,060 17,404,085 9,044,297 4,693,346 1,493,965 3,283,755 1,329,767 2,557,127
New ENGLAND: Maine. New Hampshire. Vermont. Massachusetts. Rhode Island. Connecticut.	637,255 84,845 24,861 1,203,836 150,763 182,231	694,641 80,468 19,228 1,302,079 193,810 248,206
Middle Atlantic: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	2,995,453 286,502 958,663	3,391,211 233,081 1,263,768
East North Central: Ohio	1,774,529 913,483 15,177,140 239,942 98,471	1,330,053 609,739 15,059,664 287,162 117,467
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: Minnesota	$\begin{array}{c} 346,085 \\ 602,662 \\ 776,494 \\ 149,122 \\ 53,477 \\ 1,185,190 \\ 6,942,220 \end{array}$	442,025 906,173 694,349 106,360 52,306 537,177 6,305,907
SOUTH ATLANTC: Delaware. Maryland. District of Columbia Virginia. West Virginia North Carolina South Carolina Georgia. Florida.	112.789 597.257 77,460 704,509 248,779 841,431 365,134 1,188,943 807,037	194,904 562,304 36,702 786,661 278,657 607,220 339,336 976,746 910,816
East South Central: Kentucky Tennessee. Alabama Mississippi	272,272 354,445 611,676 406,019	190,352 460,654 504,800 338,159
West South Central: Arkansas. Louisiana. Oklahoma Texas.	498,291 703,105 271,040 1,762,523	463,042 684,434 272,574 1,863,705
MOUNTAIN: MOntana. Idaho Wyoming: Colorado New Mexico Arizona. Utah Nevada	154,679 180,437 10,415 276,929 189,520 133,394 303,506 44,464	171,567 256,065 11,822 262,732 199,999 178,814 235,999 12,769
Pactric: Washington Oregon. California	380,210 229,998 1,696,666	410,971 179,402 1,966,754

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED SOUP

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial stocks of canned soup, together with the quantities in transit, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by canners, warehouses. wholesale dealers, and a miscellaneous group of firms, exclusive of retail dealers, amounted to 53,925,834 pounds. Of this amount, 53,158,061 pounds were reported as on hand and 767,773 pounds as in transit. Of the stocks on hand, the canners held 26.7 per cent; the warehouses, 7.4 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 65.1 per cent; and the miscellaneous group, 0.8 per cent. The stocks on hand are given, by classes of business, in the first column of Table 6, while the quantities in transit are similarly shown in the last column of the same table. The relative stocks reported by the four classes enumerated are represented in graphic form in Diagram 4.

The number of schedules received and tabulated for canned soup is shown, by classes of business, in Table 8.

Table 6.—Stocks of canned soup reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported	COMPARAT FIRMS RE 19	OR BOTH	Quantity reported as in		
CLASS OF BUSINESS.	as on hand	1918 st	tocks.		transit	
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.	
Total	Pounds. 53,158,061	Pounds. 45,443,685	135.9	Pounds. 33,446,688	Pounds. 767,773	
Cauners	14,183,298	13,933,106	120.2	11,588,761	614,838	
Warehouses	3,915,557	2,815,551	629.9	447,004		
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers _ Other wholesale	34,624,608 29,833,825	28,401,057 24,073,439	133.6 118.7	21,257,323 20,288,753	149,775 127,264	
dealers	4,790,783	4,327,618	446.8	968,570	22,511	
Miscellaneous	434,598	293,971	191.4	153,600	3,160	

Diagram 4.—Distribution of Total Stocks of Canned Soup Reported for July 1, 1918, by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers.

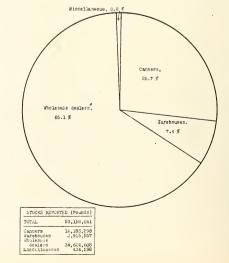


Table 7 —Stocks of canned soup reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

			STOCKS REPORT	TED AS ON HAND	JULY 1, 1918.			
				W	Wholesale dealers.			Quantity reported
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	TOTAL.	Canners.	Warehouses.	Total.	Wholesale grocers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Miscella- neous.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.
United States	Pounds. 53,158,061	Pounds. 14,183,298	Pounds. 3,915,557	Pounds. 34,624,608	Pounds. 29,833,825	Pounds. 4,790,783	Pounds. 434,598	Pounds. 767,773
Geographic divisions:								
New Englind	4,623,798	150,148	1,164,602	3,217,373	3,035,035	182,338	91,675	10,287
Middle Atlantic	21,707,384	11,540,383	1,472,883	8,451,950	7,773,886	678,064	242,168	547,694
East North Central	11,130,638	1,241,274	439,055	9,425,985	6,079,291	3,346,694	24,324	. 114,935
West North Central	3,994,640 3,532,247	14,857 268,805	207,481 50,590	3,760,450 3,203,928	3,589,160 3,057,924	171,290 146,004	11,852 8,924	20,627 46,934
East South Central	1,440,822	18,132	1,470	1,419,829	1,380,979	38,850	1,391	3,162
West South Central	1,854,256	2,136	16,931	1,822,481	1,736,843	85,638	12,708	7,908
Mountain	1,128,885	1,440	32,399	1,092,832	1,038,837	53,995	2,214	5,133
Pacific	3,745,391	946,123	530,146	2,229,780	2,141,870	87,910	39,342	11,093
New England:								
Maine	1,438,078	150,148	891,710	395,793	377,234	18,559	427	1,205
New Hampshire	154,887			154,090	144,851	9,239	797	740
Vermont	133,533			131,710	126,297	5,413	1,823	712
Massachusetts	1,869,340		260,907	1,593,994	1,499,174	94,820	14,439	7,090
Rhode Island	263,429 764,531		11,985	251,133 690,653	214,353 673,126	36,780 17,527	311 73,878	300 240
	101,001				010,120	11,021	10,010	240
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:	5 164 701		912.907	4 910 100	4,272,962	549.00	198 905	10 000
New York New Jersey	5,164,791 12,058,919	11,000,917	213,297	4,816,189 961,407	4,272,962 940,471	543,227 20,936	135,305 96,595	16,860 514,442
Pennsylvania	4,483,674	539,466	1,259,586	2,674,354	2,560,453	113,901	10,268	16,392
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:								
Ohio	2,072,784	51,082	33,010	1,986,979	1,957,038	29,941	1,713	12,980
Indiana	1,502,319	1,057,584	00,020	443,267	438,517	4,750	1,468	61,385
Illinois	5,721,734	30,888	406,045	5,271,280	1,991,658	3,279,622	13,521	30,033
Michigan	939,176	5,776		927,526	919,999	7,527	5,874	6,744
Wisconsin	894,625	95,944		796,933	772,079	24.854	1,748	3,793.
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:								
Minnesota	953,421		68,370	884,149	851,973	32.176	902	9,129
Iowa	738,203		1,488	730,049	692,839	37,201	6,666	2,876
Missouri	1,113,361	14,857	88,596	1,006,220	956,087	50,133	3,688	6,443
North Dakota	112,458			112,411	103,546	8,865	47	763
South Dakota	77,610		40.007	77,610	77,482	128		40 330
Nebraska Kansas	481,088 518,499		49,027	431,780 518,231	402,379 504,854	29,401 13,377	281 268	1,046
,	020,200			010,201	001,001	10,011		
South Atlantic: Delaware	61,228	23,442	1	37,786	31,391	6,395		40,436
Maryland	443,438	245,363		197,551	187,862	9,689	524	240
District of Columbia	282,129	210,000	22,240	259,791	258,097	1,694	98	
Virginia	531,116			524,685	508,520	16,165	2,431	510
West Virginia	968,282			968,266	965,138	3,128	16	3,316
North Carolina	200,151			197,271	187,316	9,955	2,880	039
South Carolina	163,506			163,506	139,376	24,130		31
Georgia Florida Florida	531,936 350,461		24,350	504,770 350,302	448,152 332,072	56,618 18,230	2,816 159	773 948
	550,401			330,302	332,012	10,230	133	340
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:	401.062	19.000		200 100	077.010	11 105	774	291
Kentucky Tennessee	401,063 398,858	12,090 1,710		388,199	377,012 387,642	11,187 8,980	774 526	531 1,229
Alabama	410,696	4,332	1,470	396,622 404,803	390,097	14.706	91	1,182
Mississippi	230,205		2,110	230,205	226,228	3,977		220
West South Central:			l l					
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL: Arkansas	233,227			233,043	227,680	5,363	184	1,438
Louisiana	331,970		155	331,558	287,447	44,111	257	2,100
Oklahoma	291,545		1,014	290,424	288,468	1,956	107	1,950
Texas	997,514	2,136	15,762	967,456	933,248	34,208	12,160	2,420
MOUNTAIN:		,						
Montana	168,375			167,424	154,395	13,029	951	323
Idaho	193,221			193,200	191,331	1,869	21	592
Wyoming	52,544		20.010	52,272	52,272	20 120	272	1,375
Colorado	332,351 97,625		32,019	299,412 97,245	267,280 97,100	32,132 145	920	1,607 100
Arizona	149,473		350	149,423	144,775	4,648	50	300
Utah	125,766	1,440		124,326	123,054	1,272		800
Nevada	9,530			9,530	8,630	900		36
Pagifig:								
Washington	561,545	5,555	49,758	505,741	489,416	16,325	491	4,491
Oregon	323,205	8,758	67,980	246,001	242,181	3,820	466	1,625
California	2,860,641	931,810	412,408	1,478,038	1,410,273	67,765	38,385	4,977
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Table 8.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned soup.

Class of business.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	4,791	3,736
Canners	51	46
Warehouses	85	48
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers Other wholesale dealers	4,253 3,568 685	3,392 2,816 576
Miscellaneous	402	250

The geographic distribution of the commercial supply of canned soup, as reported by the classes of business concerns here considered, is shown in Table 7. The states of the Middle Atlantic division, it may be noticed, reported about two-fifths of the stocks in the entire country, while the East North Central division reported slightly more than one-fifth. The rank of the Middle Atlantic division was due very largely to the stocks reported from New Jersey, which amounted to 12,058,919 pounds out of a total of 21,707,384 pounds for the division. Illinois ranked second in stocks of this commodity, New York third, Pennsylvania fourth, and California fifth. The stocks of canned soup reported for the eighteen most important states are shown graphically in Diagram 5.

The quantity of canned soup reported as in transit is shown by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 7.

DIAGRAM 5.—STOCKS OF CANNED SOUP REPORTED BY MANUFAC-TURERS, STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS FOR THE EIGHTEEN MOST IMPORTANT STATES.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

More than 85 per cent of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year schedules are given by classes of business in Table 6, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 9. These figures indicate that the stocks of canned soup reported for the date of the Survey by each of the several classes of business concerns here considered were materially larger than those held one year earlier. The total holdings reported for July 1, 1918, were 35.9 per cent larger than those held by the same firms on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are represented graphically, for the canners, the warehouses, and the wholesale dealers, in Diagram 6.

Diagram 6.—Stocks of Canned Soup Reported for July 1, 1918, and July 1, 1917, by Important Classes of Business.

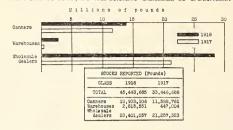


Table 9.—Comparative figures for canned soup—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

Geographic division and state.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917.
United States	Pounds. 45,443,685	Pounds. 33,446,688
Geographic divisions: New England Middle Atlantic East North Central West North Central South Atlantic East South Central West South Central West South Central Mountain Pacific	3,593,264 19,626,287 10,056,329 3,247,572 2,332,228 1,174,146 1,591,033 866,501 2,956,325	2,640,665 15,302,780 5,977,948 2,540,735 1,454,105 799,676 1,633,732 874,403 2,222,644
New ENGLAND: Maine. New Hampshire. Vermont. Massachusetts. Hhode Island. Connecticut.	1,392,896 123,028 51,570 1,255,259 183,072 587,439	878,365 94,982 36,197 1,128,652 170,218 332,251
Middle Atlantic: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	3,926,992 11,669,920 4,029,375	3,282,499 9,997,671 2,022,610
EAST NORTH CENTRAL: Ohio Indiana Illinois Michigan Wisconsin	1,855,229 1,436,782 5,217,989 801,608 744,721	1,480,075 1,495,097 1,747,784 712,940 542,052
West North Gental: Minnesota Iowa Missouri North Dakota South Dakota Nebraska Kansas	815,490 648,328 868,643 110,595 40,171 379,580 384,765	554,481 507,403 808,993 137,447 40,124 202,975 289,312
SOUTH ATLANTIC: Delaware. Maryland District of Columbia Virginia. West Virginia North Carolina South Carolina Georgia Florida	54,892 372,467 219,077 374,406 286,369 166,820 113,179 438,151 306,867	23,262 155,117 113,258 237,028 237,848 136,522 79,796 245,032 226,242
East South Central; Kentucky Temnessee Alabama Mississippi	328,237 316,906 372,921 156,082	205,973 191,731 312,435 89,537
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL: Arkansas. Louisiana Oklahoma Texas.	196,097 282,564 237,721 874,651	122,572 153,926 193,400 1,163,834
MOUNTAIN: Montana Idaho Wyoming Colorado New Mexico Arizona Utah Newada	94,715 192,699 24,272 305,511 60,797 53,211 125,766 9,530	113,955 159,864 20,582 333,024 51,153 51,961 132,302 11,562
Pacific: Washington Oregon California	528,923 311,874 2,115,528	386,523 294,069 1,542,052

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED SALMON

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial stocks of canned salmon, together with the quantities in transit, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by canners, warehouses, wholesale dealers, and a miscellaneous group of firms, exclusive of retail dealers, amounted to 141,719,281 pounds. Of this amount, 137,162,540 pounds were reported as stocks on hand and 4,556,741 pounds as in transit. Of the stocks on hand, the canners held 8.5 per cent; the warehouses, 24.1 per cent; the wholesale dealers (including the meat packers), 66.2 per cent; and the miscellaneous group, 1.2 per cent. The stocks reported by each of these classes of business concerns are shown in the first column of Table 10, and the quantities in transit in the last column. The relative stocks held by the various classes are shown graphically in Diagram 7.

The number of schedules received and tabulated for canned salmon is shown, by classes of business concerns, in Table 11.

Table 10.—Stocks of canned salmon reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported	ocks 1918 AND 1917.		Quantity reported as in	
CLASS OF BUSINESS.	as on hand	1918 st	ocks.		transit
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.
Total	Pounds. 137,162,540	Pounds. 111,240,281	149.8	Pounds. 74,272,489	Pounds. 4,556,741
Canners	11,692,666	6,613,586	343.0	1,927,899	1,319,767
Warehouses	32,978,680	25,436,253	237.4	10,715,562	238,000
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers _ Meat packers Other wholesale dealers	90,804,749 73,746,345 10,757,893 6,300,511	77,824,909 63,582,527 10,019,586 4,222,796	128.8 120.4 243.6 120.7	60,423,678 52,811,792 4,112,453 3,499,433	2,887,674 1,209,913 907,134 770,627
Miscellaneous	1,686,445	1,365,533	113.3	1,205,350	111,300
Salt fish packers Other miscellaneous	1,475,420 211,025	1,221,094 144,439	112.9 116.9	1,081,746 123,604	110,820 480

DIAGRAM 7.—DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL STOCKS OF CANNED SALMON
REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, BY MANUFACTURERS,
STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS.

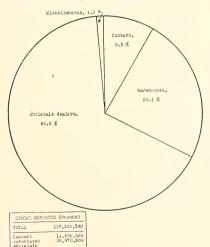


Table 11.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned salmon.

Class of business.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	5,843	4,549
Canners	58	46
Warehouses	171	98
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers_ Meat packers Other wholesale dealers	3,954 639	4,020 3,147 547 326
Miscellaneous	587 33 554	385 25 360

Geographic Distribution of Stocks Reported.

The geographic distribution of the stocks of canned salmon reported in the Survey by the classes of concerns here considered is shown in Table 12. The Pacific division, it may be noticed, ranked first in stocks reported, the Middle Atlantic division second, the East North Central division third, and the West North Central division fourth. The rank of the first two divisions mentioned was due very largely to the states of Washington and New York, respectively, the former state reporting nearly two-thirds of the total for the Pacific division and the latter more than two-thirds of the total for the Middle Atlantic division. Other states reporting more than 6,000,000 pounds of canned salmon were California, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Texas, and Ohio. The stocks reported for the eighteen most important states are shown in graphic form in Diagram 8.

The quantities reported as in transit are shown by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 12.

Diagram 8.—Stocks of Canned Salmon Reported by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers for the Eighteen Most Important States.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

More than four-fifths of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year schedules are given by classes of business in Table 10, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 13. These figures indicate a material increase in the stocks on hand on the date of the Survey as compared with the earlier date for all classes of business concerns considered. The total stocks reported for July 1, 1918, were 49.8 per cent larger than the corresponding stocks on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are represented graphically, for the canners, the warehouses, and the wholesale dealers, in Diagram 9.

Table 12.—Slocks of canned salmon reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

			STOCKS	REPORTED AS O	N HAND JULY 1	, 1918.			
					Wholesale dealers.				Quantity reported
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	TOTAL.	Canners.	Warehouses.	Total.	Wholesale grocers.	Meat packers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Miscella- neous.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.
United States	Pounds. 137,162,540	Pounds. 11,692.666	Pounds. 32,978,680	Pounds. 90,804,749	Pounds. 73,746,345	Pounds. 10,757,893	Pounds. 6,300,511	Pounds. 1,686,445	Pounds. 4,556,741
Geographic divisions:									
New England	8,302,688	660,523	1,259,297	6,358,357	4,334,071	1,406,162	618,124	24,511	819,959
Middle Atlantic	27,278,717		10,511,293	16,208,340	12,867,593	1,579,205	1,761,542	559,084	877,423
East North Central	20,963,352		1,954,643	18,540,205	16,155.109	1,532,275	852,821	468,504	187,427
West North Central	15,083,652		884,560	13,878,123	12,430,126	970,721	477,276	320,969	95,733
South Atlantic	10,633,048	1,368	774,691	9,846,166	7,436,290	1,819,171	590,705	10,823	59,203
East South Central	5,203,244		258,471	4,942,267	4,236,043	587,190	119,034	2,506	27,749
West South Central	10,843,802 4,915,917		440,892	10,399,044	8,494,341	1,694,456 454,717	210,247	3,866	40,972
Mountain Pacific	33,938,120	11,030,775	209,748 16,685,085	4,692,843 5,939,404	4,168,092 3,624,680	713,996	70,034 1,600,728	13,326 282,856	26,806 2,421,469
T (ICHO:		11,000(110	10,000,000	0,363,101			1,000,720	202,000	2,121,100
New England:									
Maine	1,838,345	660,523	750	1,175,426	917,878	209,255	48,293	1,646	812,793
New Hampshire	456,916 196,952			455,344	287,821 127,760	106,013 46,628	61,510 21,179	1,572 1,385	1,476
Vermont Massachusetts	4,514,715		1,040,369	195,567 3.456,346	2,221,718	808,165	426,463	18,000	1,128 3,994
Rhode Island	596,098		197,178	398,611	269,570	91,051	37,990	309	400
Connecticut	699,662		21,000	677,063	509,324	145,050	22,689	1,599	168
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:									
New York			-1-0-1	10,087,772	7.789,545	884,747	1,413,480	523,265	855,294
New Jersey	859,467			735,885	641,222	77,627	17,036	19,582	1,200
Pennsylvania	7,553,690		2,152,770	5,384,683	4,436.826	616,831	331,026	16,237	20,929
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:									
Ohio	6,060,915		198,497	5,858,902	5.633,066	172,726	53,110	3,516	21,793
Indiana	1,998,068 7,960,534		10,613	1,980,856	1,892,840 4,514,733	40,233 896,059	47,783 482,314	6,599 393,559	4,811 129,632
Illinois	3,388,047		57,552	5,893,106 3,311,025	2,701,739	356,172	253,114	19,470	9,776
Wisconsin	1,555,788		14,112	1,496,316	1.412.731	67,085	16,500	45,360	21,415
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:				1					
Minnesota	2,961,916		50,838	2,896,669	2,645,415	154,690	96,564	14,409	24,464
Iowa	3,353,448		62,032	3,263,934	3,052,306	165,253	46,375	27,482	16,508
Missouri			358,846	3,065,455	2,683,123	158,141	224,191	-259,786	21,395
North Dakota				493,379	325,587	60,288	107,504	SS	4,358
South Dakota			0.0.000	367,677	319,869	47,808	2.400	600	300
NebraskaKansas	2,219,257		346,368 66,476	1,855,403 1,935,606	1,680,246 1.723,580	172,757 211,784	2,400 242	17,486 1,118	15,624 13,084
	2,005.200		- 00,170	1,555,000	1.725,500	211,101	212	1,110	10,004
South Atlantic:	69,424			69.424	24,355	44,790	279		491
Delaware Maryland		1,296	391,578	752,203	662,641	36,951	52,611	5.255	3,016
District of Columbia		1,200	68,008	382,455	234,525	147,930	02,011	12	1,968
Virginia		72		1,936,132	1,369,512	374,988	191,632	1,260	7,646
West Virginia			8,500	1.651,225	1,427,680	210,318	13,227	153	11,675
North Carolina				657,952	440,874	129,428	87,650	480	6,810
South Carolina				1.452,521	1,189,664	110,580	152,277	0.000	15,925
GeorgiaFlorida			184,035	2,197,417 746,837	1,523,368 563,671	581,097 183,089	92,952 77	3,066 597	8,232 3,440
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EAST SOUTH CENTRAL: Kentucky	1,557,425		84,640	1.471,602	1,352,735	58,752	60,115	1,183	6,458
Tennessee				1,598,530	1,399,727	173,705	25,098	525	16,121
Alabama				1.169,547	916,351	243,991	9,205	688	3,832
Mississippi				702,588	567,230	110,742	24,616	110	1,338
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:									
Arkansas				1,015,517	855,781	147,892	11,844	263	1,842
Louisiana				1,782,444	1,502.017	178,782	101,645	494	5,550
Oklahoma	1,686,485		127,653 313,239	1,558,614 6,042,469	1,388,716 4,747,827	167,740 1,200,042	2,158 94,600	218 2,891	9,758 23,825
Texas	6,358,599		515,255	0,042,405	4,747,027	1,200,042	34,000	2,001	20,020
Mountain: Montana	952,356		39,672	909,702	687,592	221,773	337	2,982	3.415
Idaho	471,676		_ 25		455,154	13,596	2,759	142	1,363
Wyoming	124,694			124.209	124,209			485	8,364
Colorado	1,608,833		_ 155,623		1,258,188	128,900	56,475	9,647	6,938
New Mexico	_ 268,693	U	2,928		264,464		1,231	70	716
Arizona	468,846		11.700	1 000 431	429,402	41,932	6.512		1,512 4,390
Utah Nevada	1.011,931 S,888		11,500	1,000,431 8.888	949,195 8,888	48,516	2,720		108
Pacific: Washington	21,552,179	4.285,186			529,979	209,245	1,279,966	262,016	1.783,104
Oregon	3,484,856	2,077,682	531.414	874,334	589,098	128,036	157,200	1,426	559,546
California	. 8,901,085	4,667,907	1.167,884	3,045,880	2.505,603	376.715	163,562	19,414	78,819

DIAGRAM 9.—STOCKS OF CANNED SALMON REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, AND JULY 1, 1917, BY IMPORTANT CLASSES OF BUSINESS.

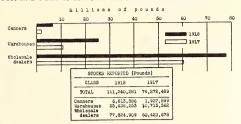


Table 13.—Comparative figures for canned salmon—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917.	
United States	Pounds. 111,240,281	Pounds. 74,272,489	
Geographic divisions: New England. Middle Atlantic East North Central. West North Central. South Atlantic Fast South Central. West South Central. West South Central. Pacific.	6,564,091 23,593,947 17,831,885 13,446,510 8,220,888 4,441,135 9,019,156 4,488,292 23,634,377	4,566,858 13,587,612 14,461,731 10,786,487 6,004,534 4,087,579 6,671,638 3,206,460 10,899,590	
New E-NGLAND: Maine. New Hampshire. Vermont. Massachusetts. Rhode Island. Connecticut.	1,656,223 398,254 137,200 3,534,467 343,740 494,207	1,254,621 353,889 83,754 2,263,732 328,628 282,234	
Middle Atlantic: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	16,401,560 605,198 6,587,189	8,685,127 418,091 4,484,394	
East North Central: Ohio. Indiana Illinois. Michigan. Wisconsin	5,320,392 1,426,987 6,786,366 2,958,539 1,339,601	4,052,050 1,522,156 5,430,733 2,469,262 987,530	
West North Central: Minnesota. Iowa. Missouri North Dakota. South Dakota. Nebraska. Kansas.	2,836,153 3,169,885 3,361,640 394,563 297,789 1,723,360 1,663,120	1,830,821 2,745,128 2,818,363 362,342 293,618 1,189,264 1,546,951	
SOUTH ATLANTIC: Dela ware Maryland District of Columbia Virginia West Virginia North Carolina South Carolina Geogria Florida	63,527 882,966 295,946 1,621,369 1,090,843 536,829 1,227,463 1,815,954 686,051	17,700 601,719 153,576 1,094,234 667,570 325,526 1,037,332 1,536,077 570,800	
East South Gentral: Kenticky Tennessee Alabama Mississippi	1,392,373 1,473,562 981,857 593,343	1,153,531 1,532,492 1,034,095 367,461	
West South Gentral: Arkansas Louisiana Oklahoma Texas	885,896 1,486,178 1,176,630 5,470,452	619,458 943,750 687,913 4,420,517	
MOUNTAIN: Montana Idaho W yoming Colorado New Mexico Arizona Utah Nevada	844,498 471,628 62,609 1,565,611 210,430 315,497 1,009,131 8,888	424,586 235,764 59,518 1,243,358 208,980 144,174 885,236 4,844	
Pacific: Washington Oregon California	17,442,153 2,618,997 3,573,227	7,715,630 1,149,885 2,034,075	

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED SARDINES

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial supply of canned sardines reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by canners, warehouses, wholesale dealers, and a miscellaneous group of firms, not including retail dealers, amounted to 43,082,944 pounds. Of this amount, 39,614,554 pounds were reported as on hand and 3,468,390 pounds as in transit. The stocks reported as on hand are shown, by classes of business concerns, in the first column of Table 14, and the quantities reported as in transit in the last column of the same table. Of the stocks reported as on hand, the canners held 20.6 per cent; the warehouses, 24.6 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 53.7 per cent; and the miscellaneous group of firms, 1.1 per cent. The relative stocks reported by these classes of concerns are represented graphically in Diagram 10.

The number of schedules received and tabulated for canned sardines is shown by classes of concerns in Table 16.

Table 14.—Stocks of canned sardines reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported	Compara: firms re 19	Quantity reported as in			
Class of business.	as on hand	1918 s	tocks.		transit	
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.	
Total	Pounds. 39,614,554	Pounds. 27,020,919	106.4	Pounds. 25,394,940	Pounds. 3,468,390	
Canners	8,149,515	6,684,731	94.5	7,070,546	2,839,303	
Warehouses	9,736,467	1,985,808	107.3	1,850,817	1,050	
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers _ Meat packers Other wholesale	21,299,480 16,215,251 2,748,592	17,952,519 14,071,949 2,616,792	112.1 100.7 245.1	16,007,874 13,971,933 1,067,591	595,711 214,393 28,665	
dealers	2,335,637	1,263,778	130.5	968,350	352,653	
Miscellaneous Salt-fish packers Other miscellaneous	429,092 364,099 64,993	397,861 354,949 42,912	85.4 96.0 44.6	465,703 369,587 96,116	32,326 2,936 29,396	

Diagram 10.—Distribution of Total Stocks of Canned Sardines Reported for July 1, 1918, by Manufacturers. Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers.

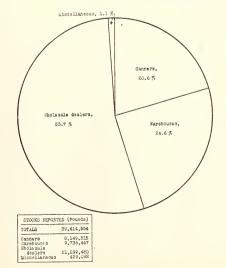


Table 15.—Slocks of canned sardines reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

			Stocks	REPORTED AS O	N HAND JULY 1	, 1918.			
					Wholesale		Quantity reported		
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Total.	Canners.	Warehouses.	Total.	Wholesale grocers.	Meat packers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Miscella- neous.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.
United States	Pounds. 39,614,554	Pounds. 8,149,515	Pounds. 9,736,467	Pounds. 21,299,480	Pounds. 16,215,251	Pounds. 2,748,592	Pounds. 2,335,637	Pounds. 429,092	Pounds. 3,468,390
Geographic divisions:									
New England	8,117,088	6,843,231	126,862	1,136,422	904,952	84,792	146,678	10,573	2,381,505
Middle Atlantic	14,110,716	75,503	8,157,067	5,724,331	3,902,753	534,435	1,287,143	153,815	96,839
East North Central	4,249,199		428,387	3,767,526	3,019,177	425,139	323,210	53,286	74,062
West North Central South Atlantic	3,272,070 2,408,256	329	431,084 131,142	2,724,476 2,269,124	1,951,966 1,723,372	541,452 439,276	231,058 106,476	116,510 7,661	33,192
East South Central	1,278,854	329	2,200	1,275,433	1,069,790	175,947	29,696	1,221	34,239 6,519
West South Central	2,640,012	2,812	174,320	2,461,780	2,111,759	238,616	111,405	1,100	21,123
Mountain	747,942		12,140	727,279	652,312	52,066	22,901	8,523	33,420
Pacific	2,790,417	1,227,640	273,265	1,213,109	879,170	256,869	77,070	76,403	787,491
New England:									
Maine	6,978,699	6,840,268	26,798	108,816	100,581	7,647	588	2,817	2,378,408
New Hampshiree- Vermont	57,649 23,439			57,264 23,417	37,840 16,652	2,142 2,400	17,282 4,365	385 22	224
Massachusetts	769,652	2,963	100,064	660,877	499,575	46,909	114,393	5,748	2,448
Rhode Island	99,012			98,939	81,120	10,534	7,285	73	75
Connecticut	188,637			187,109	169,184	15,160	2,765	1,528	290
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:									
New York	11,649,788	75,473	7,624,989	3,806,922	2,296,501	271,573	1,238,848	142,404	58,304
New Jersey	323,054	30	41,550	272,432	214,565	50,735	7,132	9,042	51
Pennsylvania	2,137,874		490,528	1,644,977	1,391,687	212,127	41,163	2,369	38,484
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:									
Ohio	1,187,828		140,734	1,046,205	916,941	98,354	30,910	889	9,940
Indiana Illinois Illi	288,612 1,831,170		336 284,017	286,162 1,510,543	270,383 1,021,382	5,188 228,885	10,591 260,276	2,114 36,610	765
Michigan	462,461		900	459,660	395,843	54,167	9,650	1,901	56,369 1,335
Wisconsin	479,128		2,400	464,956	414,628	38,545	11,783	11,772	5,653
West North Central:									
Minnesota	919,667		320,182	598,463	453,036	83,465	61,962	1,022	10,839
Iowa	468,262		3,534	459,822	400,657	36,134	23,031	4,906	4,279
Missouri	819,197		64,403	669,173	523,454	48,184	97,535	85,621	9,633
North Dakota South Dakota	102,597 87,593			102,596 86,663	56,138 77,819	22,856 7,044	23,602 1,800	930	2,353 12
Nebraska	445,377		42,965	378,859	151,821	203,940	23,098	23,553	1,540
Kansas	429,377			428,900	289,041	139,829	30	477	4,536
South Atlantic:					1	•			
Delaware	30,700·			30,700	21,580	9,120			500
Maryland	270,100	329	22,935	244,672	195,738	15,094	33,840	2,164	635
District of Columbia	181,965		57,582	124,383	89,368	35,015	10.077	710	100
Virginia West Virginia	421,677 181,212		21,000	399,964 181,211	277,163 132,209	109,546 45,972	13,255 3,030	713 1	2,307 3,698
North Carolina	201,388			200,288	152,506	36,643	11,139	1,100	5,556
South Carolina	226,670			204,820	175,887	6,530	22,403		3,530
Georgia	604,930			593,781	493,123	78,232	22,426	3,374	14,527
Florida	289,614			289,305	185,798	103,124	383	309	3,386
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:									
Kentucky	286,100 342,089			285,866 341,896	248,717 278,841	27,111 53,177	10,038	234	1,253
Tennessee	339,021		2,200	336,508	283,457	47,545	9,878 5,506	193 313	3,302 1,615
Mississippi	311,644			311,163	258,775	48,114	4,274	481	349
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:					-				
Arkansas	262,492		;	. 262,354	229,504	28,927	3,923	138	805
Louisiana	805,067	2,812	173,302	628,324	536,093	29,555	62,676	629	3.163
Oklahoma	290,411		1.010	290,331	199,204	88,365	2,762	80	1,711
Texas	1,282,042		1,018	1,280,771	1,146,958	91,769	42,044	253	15,444
Mountain:									
Montana	66,081 95,734			65,177 95,710	57,210 88,661	7,720 2,917	247	904 24	549 29,204
Wyoming	23,397			23,263	23,263	2,917	4,132	134	140
Colorado	268,560		3,050	258,080	220,559	26,407	11,114	7,430	1,324
New Mexico	85,534		450	85,063	84,015		1,048	21	403
Arizona	65,305		0.040	65,295	52.011	10,524	2,760	10	800
UtahNevada	140,565 2,766		8,640	131,925 2,766	123,827 2,766	4,498	3,600		1,000
	_,			-,	-,,				
Pacific:	202.000	76,080		225,349	111,099	92,689	21,561	1,670	3,941
Washington									
WashingtonOregon	303,099 125,669	70,000	1,440	123.318	• 75,991	42,365	4,962	. 911	1,552

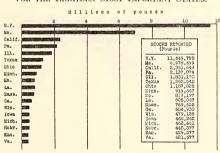
Table 16,—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned sardines.

CLASS OF BUSINESS.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	5,448	4,256
Canners	55	42
Warehouses	111	66
Wholesale dealers	4,878 3,928 529 421	3,885 3,126 451 308
Miscellaneous Sall-fish packers Other miscellaneous	404 35 369	263 31 232

The geographic distribution of the commercial supply of canned sardines, exclusive of retail stocks, is shown in Table 15. The Middle Atlantic division, it may be noticed, far outranked all others in stocks of this commodity, the state of New York alone reporting more than two-sevenths of the total stocks for the entire country. The figures for individual states indicate that Maine ranked second in stocks of canned sardines, California third, Pennsylvania fourth, and Illinois fifth. The stocks reported for the eighteen most important states are shown in graphic form in Diagram 11.

The quantities reported as in transit are shown by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 15.

DIAGRAM 11.—STOCKS OF CANNED SARDINES REPORTED BY MANU-FACTURERS, STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS FOR THE EIGHTEEN MOST IMPORTANT STATES.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

-About seven-tenths of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year_schedules are given by classes of business in Table 14, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 17. The figures indicate that the stocks of the canners, as well as those of the relatively unimportant miscellaneous group of firms, were smaller on the date of the Survey than they were one year earlier. The stocks of the warehouses and the wholesale dealers, on the other hand, showed increases of 7.3 per cent and 12.1 per cent, respectively. The total stocks reported for July 1, 1918, were 6.4 per cent larger than the corresponding stocks on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are represented in graphic form, for the canners, the warehouses, and the wholesale dealers, in Diagram 12.

DIAGRAM 12.—STOCKS OF CANNED SARDINES REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, AND JULY 1, 1917, BY IMPORTANT CLASSES OF BUSINESS.

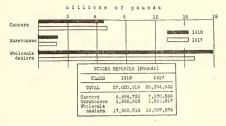


Table 17.—Comparative figures for canned sardines—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917.
United States	Pounds. 27,020,919	Pounds. 25,394,940
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS; New England Middle Atlantic East North Central West North Central South Atlantic East South Central West South Central West South Central Mountain Pacific	7,016,235 5,779,057 3,453,813 2,928,803 1,912,374 1,115,641 2,220,034 656,317 1,938,645	7,190,066 5,188,152 2,912,113 2,332,986 1,540,523 1,018,023 2,324,102 611,870 2,277,105
NEW ENGLAND: Maine New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts Rhode Island Connecticut	6,106,495 52,273 13,647 614,320 79,433 150,067	6,079,476 38,600 11,470 745,937 160,966 153,617
Middle Atlantic: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	3,689,107 208,653 1,881,297	3,526,989 182,732 1,478,431
EAST NORTH CENTRAL: Ohio Indiana Illinois Michigan Wisconsin	966,734 222,610 1,406,198 442,382 415,889	888,407 278,357 1,058,524 339,742 347,083
West North Central: Minnesota. Iowa. Missouri North Dakota. South Dakota. Nebraska. Kansas.	892,242 436,063 705,503 73,674 69,561 382,210 369,550	487,647 319,321 883,441 74,774 45,316 190,399 332,088
SOUTH ATLANTIC Delaware	23,034 217,041 99,071 314,376 137,455 151,078 195,681 507,185 267,453	13,615 150,885 53,633 329,384 158,009 125,430 165,178 347,835 196,554
EAST SOUTH GENTRAL: Kentacky Temnessee Alabama Mississippi	250,913 306,461 310,158 248,109	235,462 345,737 252,928 183,896
West South Central: Arkansas Louisiana Oklahoma Texas	241,069 633,287 235,996 1,109,682	261,590 862,812 281,352 918,348
MOUNTAIN:	55,759 92,022 11,822 254,028 50,851 48,552 140,517 2,766	53,223 89,576 9,995 169,231 83,986 45,633 153,224 7,002
PACIFIC: Washington. Oregon. California.	268,577 102,982 1,567,086	292,478 116,962 1,867,665

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED TOMATOES

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial stocks of canned tomatoes, together with the quantities in transit, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by classes of business other than retail dealers, amounted to 116,811,885 pounds, of which amount 115,640,539 pounds represented the stocks on hand and 1,171,346 pounds the quantities in transit. Of the stocks on hand, the canners held 4.5 per cent; the warehouses, 17.4 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 77.8 per cent; and a miscellaneous group of firms, 0.3 per cent. The stocks actually, reported as on hand are shown, by classes of business concerns, in the first column of Table 18, and the quantities reported as in transit in the last column. The relative stocks reported by the classes above enumerated are shown graphically in Diagram 13.

The number of schedules received and tabulated for canned tomatoes is shown, by classes of business, in Table 19.

Table 18.—Stocks of canned tomatoes reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Comparate firms re 19	Quantity reported as in				
CLASS OF BUSINESS.	reported as on hand	1918 s	tocks.	,	transit on	
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.	
Total	Pounds. 115,640,539	Pounds. 89,487,503	112.8	Pounds. 79,311,021	Pounds. 1,171,346	
Canners	5,238,174	3,655,841	50.8	7,195,267	480,171	
Warehouses	20,116,957	10,357,181	182.6	5,673,556	252	
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers_ Other wholesale	89,922,317 78,375,156	75,242,634 66,002,423	113.8 105.1	66,132,364 62,783,741	690,259 622,367	
dealers	11,547,161	9,240,211	275.9	3,348,623	67,892	
Miscellaneous	363,091	231,847	74.8	309,834	664	

DIAGRAM 13.—DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL STOCKS OF CANNED TOMATOES REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, BY MANUFACTURERS,
STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS.

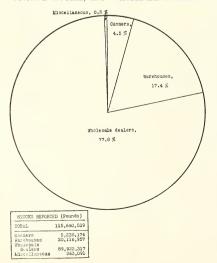


Table 19.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned tomatoes.

Class of business.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	5,740	4,398
Canners	144	93
Warehouses	158	88
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers Other wholesale dealers	- 4,819 3,925 894	3,823 3,130 693
Miscellaneous	619	394

Geographic Distribution of Stocks Reported.

The geographic distribution of the commercial stocks of canned tomatoes reported by the classes of business concerns here considered is shown in Table 20. The South Atlantic division, it may be noticed, ranked first in stocks of this commodity reported, with the Middle Atlantic division second. The figures for individual states indicate that the state of Maryland alone reported 10,888,720 pounds, or more than one-eleventh of the stocks reported for the entire country. Pennsylvania ranked second in stocks reported, Texas third, and New York fourth. The stocks reported for the eighteen most important states are shown graphically in Diagram 14.

The quantities reported as in transit are shown by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 20.

DIAGRAM 14.—STOCKS OF CANNED TOMATOES REPORTED BY MANU-FACTURERS, STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS FOR THE EIGHTEEN MOST IMPORTANT STATES.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

More than three-fourths of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year schedules are given by classes of business in Table 18, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 21. The figures indicate that while the stocks of the canners were only about one-half as large on the date of the Survey as they were one year earlier, the warehouses and the whole-sale dealers reported material increases. These increases amounted to 82.6 per cent in the case of the warehouses, and 13.8 per cent in the case of the wholesale dealers. The total stocks reported by the classes of concerns here considered were 12.8 per cent larger on July 1, 1918, than on July 1, 1917. The comparative stocks on the two dates are represented graphically, for the canners, the warehouses, and the wholesale dealers, in Diagram 15.

Table 20.—Stocks of canned tomatoes reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

•	STOCKS REPORTED AS ON HAND JULY 1, 1918.							Quantity
6		1		Wholesale dealers.				reported
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Тотац.	Canners.	Warehouses.	Total.	Wholesale grocers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Miscella- neous.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.
United States	Pounds. 115,640,539	Pounds. 5,238,174	Pounds. 20,116,957	Pounds. 89,922,317	Pounds. 78,375,156	Pounds. 11,547,161	Pounds. 363,091	Pounds. 1,171,34
Geographic divisions:	,							
New England	4,534,808	2,970	782,908	3,728,435	3,248,293	480,142	20,495	14,260
Middle Atlantic		745,557	4,730,912	14,985,168	13,068,898	1,916,270	117,919	132.97
East North Central		398,672	1,992,280	13,679,020	12,428,691	1,250,329	35,163	151,029
West North Central		179,993	770,765	13,056,955	10,897,729	2,159,226	24,294	202,02
South Atlantic	23,616,802	1,416,731	9,862,869	12,309,302	10,167,333	2,141,969	27,900	237,47
East South Central		263,188	159,530	6,010,307	5,064,731	945,576	8,226	33,83
West North Central		487,165	469,528	15,856,994	14,408,802	1,448,192	21,641	73,00
MountainPacific		195,733 1,548,165	133,218 1,214,947	6,187,138 4,108,998	5,581,759 3,508,920	605,379 600,078	63,501 43,952	254,21 72,53
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New England: Maine	486,595		10,600	473,493	411,051	62,442	2,502	3,44
New Hampshire		1.430	10,000	161,005	154,391	6,614	361	3,18
Vermont.		1.400		68.785	62,801	5,984	382	28
Massachusetts.		360	731,882	1,927,937	1,664,340	263,597	13,509	6,49
Rhode Island		1	19,426	349,394	250,460	98,934	1,433	86
Connecticut		1,180	21,000	747,821	705,250	42,571	2,308	
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:				()				
New York		62,893	1,638,993	7,526,357	6,735,653	790,704	51,935	55,90
New Jersey		682,664	126,540	750,118	612,142	137,976	43,311	57
Pennsylvania	9,696,745		2,965,379	6,708,693	5,721,103	987,590	22,673	76,48
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:			272.022					
Ohio	5,846,188	2,812	253,368	5,581,648	5,301,318	280,330	8,360	25,41
Indiana		52,359		1,672,672	1,654,670	18,002	3,466	20,23
Illinois		60,348	1,695,056	3,567,750	3,089,961	477,789	11,730	60,05
Michigan Wisconsin		282,793 360	43,856	1,824,860 1,032,090	1,393,695 989,047	431,165 43,043	7,232 4,375	31,28 14,03
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West North Central: Minnesota	2,308,701		31,975	2,270,895	2,119,094	151,801	5,831	32,83
Iowa		113,360	428,026	2,365,978	2,145,681	220,297	3,187	79,51
Missouri		66,633	200,700	4,271,172	3,017,716	1,253,456	7.600	41,60
North Dakota				432,296	377,060	55,236	196	7,29
South Dakota	357,155			357,155	307,695	49,460		60
Nebraska			98,904	1,204,799	991,977	212,822	2,317	7,64
Kansas	2,170,983		11,160	2,154,660	1,938,506	216,154	5,163	32,53
South Atlantic:								
Delaware		156,428	37,982	108,035	17,277	90,758		1,78
Maryland		1,015,624	9,293,896	570,917	385,430	185,487	8,283	160,77
District of Columbia			165,600	260,228	73,052	187,176	805	
Virginia		238,307	16,000	1,654,770	1,360,258	294,512	3,011	34,17
West Virginia		460		2,927.177	2,376,547	550,630	441	16,66
North Carolina	1,090,907		#O 40#	1,086,877	904,360	182,517	4,030	3,65
South Carolina			70,495	950,936	802,597	148,339	0.260	7,11
Georgia Florida		5,912	278,896	2,221,895 2,528,467	2,003,077 2,244,735	218,818 283,732	9,260 2,070	6,10 7,21
	2,000,110	0,512		2,020,101	2,211,100	200,102	2,010	.,2.
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL: Kentucky	1,310,269	120,720		1.187.316	1,143,077	44,239	2,233	5,92
Tennessee		36,825	7,170	1,676,775	1,310,599	366,176	5,549	9,26
Alabama		86	152,360	1,772,770	1,514,506	258,264	387	12,12
Mississippi		105,557	102,000	1,373,446	1,096,549	276,897	57	6,51
West South Central:								
Arkansas	1,409,676	3,000		1,399,361	1,178,109	221,252	7.315	2,16
Louisiana	4,355,236	479,292	147,023	3,717,427	3,349,273	368,154	11,494	20.31
Oklahoma	1,519,276		42,457	1,476,413	1,469,322	7,091	406	21,44
Texas	9,551,140	4,873	280,048	9,263,793	8,412,098	851,695	2,426	29,07
Mountain:						0		
MontanaIdaho	1,516,720	,	27,420	1,428,084	1,114,447 670,928	313,637	61,216	6,43 34,31
Wyoming	_ 755,231 _ 293,902		51,150	703,996 293,771	293,771	33,068	85 131	2,13
Colorado	1,868,483	10,308	47,948	1,808,538	1,582,296	226,242	1,689	95,15
New Mexico	_ 690,819	1,425	6,700	682,660	681,330	1,330	34	4.50
Arizona	381,006	1,120	0,700	380,860	352,458	28,402	146	1,88
Utah	1,040,654	184,000		856,454	853,754	2,700	200	109,80
Nevada	32,775			32,775	32,775			
PACIFIC:								
	897,534	2,349	27,148	856,966	724,242	132,724	11,071	8,46
Washington								
Washington Oregon California	930,197	1,794 1,544,022	16,727 1,171,072	910,213 2,341,819	878,257 1,906,421	31,956 435,398	1,463 31,418	2,62 61,44

DIAGRAM 15.—STOCKS OF CANNED TOMATOES REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, and July 1, 1917, by Important Classes of Business.

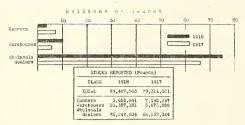


Table 21.—Comparative figures for canned tomatoes—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

Geographic division and state.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917
United States	Pounds. 89,487,503	Pounds. 79,311,021
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS: New England	3,310,512 17,551,243 13,187,805 11,633,743 13,826,461 5,349,238 13,573,305 5,840,287 5,214,909	3,451,593 20,815,298 12,798,690 12,690,390 6,988,488 3,427,661 9,710,332 4,116,348 5,312,284
New England: Maine New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts Rhode Island Connecticut	381,078 121,435 41,598 1,825,506 312,788 628,107	465,505 220,403 30,535 2,035,791 301,182 398,177
Middle Atlantig: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	7,296,657 1,378,517 8,876,069	7,316,946 6,705,450 6,792,902
East North Central: Ohio Indiana Illinois Michigan Wisconsin	5,276,387 1,080,140 3,945,559 1,897,997 987,722	3,115,729 1,561,886 5,352,866 1,703,115 1,065,031
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: Minnesota_ Lowa_ Missouri North Dakota_ South Dakota_ Nebraska_ Kansas	2,164,568 2,751,996 3,137,394 407,965 291,687 1,073,799 1,806,334	1,778,196 3,080,592 3,090,494 620,683 402,846 1,155,016 2,562,563
SOUTH ATLANTIC: Delaware Maryland District of Columbia Virginia West Virginia North Carolina South Garolina Georgia Florida	278,630 4,699,579 220,670 1,193,319 1,914,215 896,903 827,481 1,890,921 1,904,743	94,743 1,049,156 93,383 696,894 1,450,602 386,404 788,192 1,236,356 1,192,758
East South Central: Kentucky. Tennessee Alabama Mississippi	1.441.942	751,934 819,313 1,386,357 470,057
West South Central: Arkansas Duissana. Oklahoma. Tekas.	1,152,616 3,482,203 964,431 7,974,055	817,146 2,245,338 1,168,580 5,479,268
MOUNTAIN: Montana. Idaho Wyoming Colorado. New Mexico. Arizona. Utah. Vevada.	1,619,608 485,817 305,796 1,035,255	664,881 394,369 258,712 1,475,319 359,085 322,620 569,020 72,342
Pagific: Washington Oregon California	830,574 775,700 3,608,635	1,738,919 1,078,023 2,495,342

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED CORN

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial supply of canned corn reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by canners, warehouses, wholesale dealers, and a miscellaneous group of firms, not including retail dealers, amounted to 52,326,315 pounds. Of this amount, 51,552,910 pounds represented stocks on hand and 773,405 pounds quantities in transit. Of the stocks on hand, the canners held 3.4 per cent; the warehouses, 10.6 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 85.7 per cent; and the miscellaneous group of firms, 0.3 per cent. The stocks reported as on hand are shown, by classes of business concerns, in the first column of Table 22, and the quantities in transit in the last column of the same table. The relative stocks reported by the classes of concerns above enumerated are represented graphically in Diagram

The number of schedules received and tabulated for canned corn is shown, by classes of business, in Table 24.

Table 22.—Stocks of canned corn reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported	Comparate firms re 19	Quantity reported as in		
CLASS OF BUSINESS.	as on . hand	1918 st	ocks.		transit on
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Quantity. Per cent of 1917.		July 1, 1918.
Total	Pounds. 51,552,910	Pounds. 41,463,117	100.9	Pounds. 41,109,081	Pounds. 773,405
Canners	1,737,694	1,032,078	158.6	650,683	274,323
Warehouses	5,486,034	3,532,570	264.2	1,336,840	
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers_ Other wholesale	44,183,624 39,250,128	36,811,611 32,971,079	94.4 88.4	39,012,362 37,304,281	498,842 432,466
dealers	4,933,496	3,840,532	224.8	1,708,081	66,376
Miscellaneous	145,558	86,858	79.5	109,196	240

DIAGRAM 16.—DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL STOCKS OF CANNED CORN Reported for July 1, 1918, by Manufacturers, STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS.

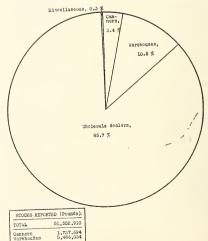


Table 23.—Stocks of canned corn reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

			STOCKS REPORT					Quentity
Croon and and				W	Wholesale dealers.			Quantity reported
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	TOTAL.	Canners.	Warehouses.	Total.	Wholesale grocers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Miscella- neous.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.
United States	Pounds. 51,552,910	Pounds. 1,737,694	Pounds. 5,486,034	Pounds. 44,183,624	Pounds. 39,250,128	Pounds. 4,933,496	Pounds. 145,558	Pounds. 773,405
Geographic divisions:								
New England	1,337,567	3,112	129,660	1,196,490	1,094,063	102,427	8,305	6,543
Middle Atlantic	8,065,806	566,273	1,085,251	6,383,201	5,630,770	752,431	31,081	103,504
East North Central	13,411,839	470,749	1,657,067	11,250,666	9,201,880	2,049,786	33,357	180,993
West North Central	7,577,261	251,550	260,870	7,042,664	6,408,400	634,264	22,177	307,346
South Atlantic	6,112,450	290,804	1,661,618	4,154,430	3,800,994	353,436	5,598	85,38
East South Central West South Central	2,073,745 5,860,987	12,936	19,000	2,038,055 5,732,654	1,833,676 5,438,874	204,379	3,754 2,762	9,756
Mountain	3,597,507		125,571 5,754	3,574,684	3,291,366	293,780 283,318	17,069	32,66
Pacific	3,515,748	142,270	541,243	2,810,780	2,550,105	260,675	21,455	17,559
NEW ENGLAND:								
Maine	287,947	592	17,696	268,237	262,263	5,974	1,422	1,330
New Hampshire	56,807	0.500		53,998	53,968	30	2,809	714
Vermont Massachusetts	49,569 671,610	2,520	56,236	46,237 612,436	42,857 578,143	3,380 34,293	812 2,938	965 3,285
Rhode Island	146,418		55,728	90,581	48,906	41,675	109	60
Connecticut	125,216		33,123	125,001	107,926	17,075	215	189
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:								
New York	2,845,968	300,929	143,228	2,397,657	2,131,156	266,501	4,154	54,709
New Jersey	573,012 4,646,826	264,144 1,200	942,023	290,005 3,695,539	264,352 3,235,262	25,653 460,277	18,863 8,064	252 48,543
East North Central:	1,010,020	1,200	512,020	0,000,000	0,200,202	400,211	3,001	10,010
Ohio	4,338,463	69,504	237,750	4,027,376	3,890,152	137,224	3,833	45,543
Indiana	1,612,877	177,015	201,100	1.431,955	1,417,434	14,521	3,907	3,999
Illinois	5,684,778	206,130	1,403,647	4,960,874	2,358,841	1,702,033	14,127	122,95
Michigan	979,964	1,110	15.292	957,294	829,300	127,994	6,268	3,915
Wisconsin	795,757	16,990	378	773,167	706,153	67,014	5,222	4,582
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: Minnesota	1,733,645	810	91,200	1,633,115	1,522,265	110,850	8,520	14,640
Iowa	1,139,757	69,290	5,970	1,059,794	992,177	67,617	4,703	144,840
Missouri	1,995,923	00,200	108,900	1,882,126	1,751,324	130,802	4,897	106,873
North Dakota	244,910			244,746	219,185	25,561	164	4,689
South Dakota	262,033			262,033	247,431	14,602		420
Nebraska	992,947	181,450	50,300	759,663	602,869	156,794	1,534	5,914
Kansas	1,208,046		4,500	1,201,187	1,073,149	128,038	2,359	29,970
South Atlantic: Delaware	21,460			21,460	17,884	3,576		263
Maryland	2,443,472	289,209	1,515,600	634,136	576,332	57,804	4,527	59,246
District of Columbia	209,974		88,868	120,936.	67,783	53,153	170	
Virginia	736,116	65	56,000	679,488	592,589	86,899	563	5,614
West Virginia	1,747,871	1,530		1,746,289	1,630,282	116,007	52	14,600
North Carolina	329,755			329,755	323,631	6,124		910
South Carolina	106,060			106,060	97,112	8,948		283
Georgia Florida	294,215 223,527		1,150	293,065 223,241	282,389 212,992	10,676 10,249	286	1,640 2,831
East South Central:			,					
Kentucky	949,245		7,500	939,954	891,868	48,086	1,791	7,421
Tennessee	615,779		1,500	613,157	497,736	115,421	1,122	1,162
Alabama	169,539		10,000	158,698	153,466	5,232	841	923
Mississippi	339,182	12,936		326,246	290,606	35,640		250
West South Central: Arkansas	452,180			452,126	384,194	67,932	54	2,100
	429,131			427,472	377,666	49,806	1,659	4,469
Louisiana			5,691	1,070,816	1,070,666	180	139	10,539
LouisianaOklahoma	1,076,676		119,880	3,782,210	3,606,348	175,862	910	12,544
	3,903,000		110,000	1				
Oklahoma Texas\ Mountain:	3,903,000		110,000	409 097	200 505	109 519	15 707	9.950
Oklahoma	3,903,000 508,824			493,037 624,077	390,525 612.134	102,512 11,943	15,787	
Oklahoma Texas\ Mountain:	3,903,000 508,824 `624,084			624,077	612,134	102,512 11,943	7	14,440
Oklahoma Texas MOUNTAIN: MONTAIN: Idaho	3,903,000 508,824			624,077 154,892	612,134 154,892	11,943		14,440 3,790
Oklahoma Texas MOUNTAIN: Montana Idaho Wyoming	3,903,000 508,824 '624,084 154,992		5,754	624,077	612,134		7 100	14,440 3,790 8,008 800
Oklahoma Texas Mountain: Montana Idaho Wyoming Colorado New Mexico Arizona	3,903,000 508,824 *624,084 154,992 914,119 441,254 462,107			624,077 154,892- 912,959 435,485 462,107	612,134 154,892 842,508 434,160 407,167	70,451 1,325 54,940	7 100 1,160	14,440 3,790 8,005 800 1,280
Oklahoma Texas Texas Mountain; Montana Idaho Wyoming Colorado New Mexico Arizona Utah	3,903,000 508,824 '624,084 154,992 914,119 441,254 462,107 473,289			624,077 154,892 912,959 435,485 462,107 473,289	612,134 154,892 842,508 434,160 407,167 431,412	70,451 1,325 54,940 41,877	7 100 1,160	14,440 3,790 8,005 800 1,280
Oklahoma Texas	3,903,000 508,824 *624,084 154,992 914,119 441,254 462,107			624,077 154,892- 912,959 435,485 462,107	612,134 154,892 842,508 434,160 407,167	70,451 1,325 54,940	7 100 1,160	2,250 14,440 3,790 8,005 800 1,280 2,100
Oklahoma Texas Mountain: Montana Idaho Wyoming Colorado New Mexico Arizona Utah Nevada	3,903,000 508,824 '624,084 154,992 914,119 441,254 462,107 473,289 18,838	1,600	5,754	624,077 154,892 912,959 435,485 462,107 473,289 18,838	612,134 154,892 842,508 434,160 407,167 431,412 18,568	70,451 1,325 54,940 41,877 270	7 100 1,160 15	14,440 3,790 8,005 800 1,280 2,100
Oklahoma Texas	3,903,000 508,824 '624,084 154,992 914,119 441,254 462,107 473,289	1,690		624,077 154,892 912,959 435,485 462,107 473,289	612,134 154,892 842,508 434,160 407,167 431,412	70,451 1,325 54,940 41,877	7 100 1,160	14,440 3,790 8,005 800 1,280

Table 24.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned corn.

CLASS OF BUSINESS.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	4,758	3,708
Canners	69	41
Warehouses	104	58
Wholesale dealers	3.425	3,321 2,774 547
Miscellaneous	471	288

The geographic distribution of the stocks of canned corn covered by this report is shown in Table 23. The East North Central division, it may be noticed, reported more than one-fourth of the total stocks, while the Middle Atlantic division ranked second in stocks reported, and the West North Central division third. Among the individual states, Illinois ranked first, Pennsylvania second, Ohio third, Texas fourth, and New York fifth. The stocks reported for the eighteen most important states are shown graphically in Diagram 17.

The distribution of the quantities in transit by geographic divisions and states is given in the last column of Table 23.

Diagram 17.—Stocks of Canned Corn Reported by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers for the Eighteen Most Important States.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

More than four-fifths of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year reports are given by classes of business in Table 22, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 25. These figures indicate that while the stocks of the canners and the warehouses were materially larger on the date of the Survey than they were one year earlier, the wholesale dealers, who, as above stated, held 85.7 per cent of the total stocks on the date of the Survey, showed a decrease in holdings as compared with those of the earlier date. The total stocks on July 1, 1918, were 0.9 per cent larger than the holdings of the same firms on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are represented graphically, for each class of concerns except the miscellaneous group, in Diagram 18.

Diagram 18.—Stocks of Canned Corn Reported for July 1, 1918, and July 1, 1917, by Important Classes of Business.

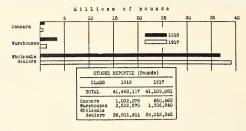


Table 25.—Comparative figures for canned corn—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917
United States	Pounds. 41,463,117	Pounds. 41,109,081
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS: New England. Middle Atlantic. East North Central West North Central South Atlantic. East South Central West South Central West South Central Mountain Pacific.	1,024,680 6,781,976 10,748,460 6,787,179 3,958,866 1,706,715 4,864,101 3,059,556 2,531,584	1,841,070 5,658,706 9,505,534 8,565,954 3,328,429 1,663,915 4,825,549 2,530,453 3,189,471
NEW ENGLAND: Maine. New Hampshire. Vermont. Massachusetts. Rhode Island. Connecticut.	262.069 44,847 12,254 534,398 88,256 82,856	590,525 104,186 66,293 816,598 128,943 134,525
MIDDLE ATLANTIC: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	2,259,242 432,915 4,089,819	2,602.115 337,293 2,719,298
EAST NORTH CENTRAL: Ohio Indiana Illinois Michigan Wisconsin	3,719,267 875,204 4,513,846 917,828 722,315	2,727,633 1,692,218 3,428,931 895,064 761,688
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: Minnesota. Iowa. Missouri North Dakota. South Dakota. Nebraska. Kansas.	1,632,802 1,060,934 1,850,278 241,188 201,773 853,779 946,425	1,012,965 1,872,166 2,870,311 256,217 174,930 894,543 1,484,822
SOUTH ATLANTIC: Delaware Maryland District of Columbia Virginia West Virginia North Carolina South Carolina Georgia Florida	$\begin{array}{c} 20,810 \\ 1,405,856 \\ 61,115 \\ 428,883 \\ 1,284,196 \\ 236,152 \\ 67,640 \\ 260,753 \\ 193,461 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 14,977\\ 906,630\\ 113,385\\ 411,161\\ 873,143\\ 173,256\\ 93,007\\ 265,062\\ 477,808\\ \end{array}$
East South Central: Kentucky. Tennessee. Alabama Mississippi.	750,315 495,922 163,119 297,359	698,344 532,012 282,583 150,976
West South Central: Arkansas Louisiana Oklahoma Texas	376,081 316,067 907,526 3,264,427	561.427 458,995 698,845 3,106,282
MOUNTAIN: Montana Idaho. Wyoming Golorado. New Mexico. Arizona Utah Newada.	451,942 613,773 56,390 833,080 280,012 332,322 473,289 18,748	208,713 430,790 140,210 665,112 256,915 227,191 579,086 22,436
Pacific: Washington Oregon California	523,283 375,057 1,633,244	940,156 654,731 1,594,584

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED PEAS

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial stocks of canned peas, together with the quantities in transit, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by business concerns other than retail dealers, amounted to 131,161,336 pounds, of which quantity 128,288,702 pounds were reported as on hand and 2,872,634 pounds as in transit. Of the stocks on hand, the canners held 56.5 per cent; the warehouses, 5.5 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 37.7 per cent; and a miscellaneous group of firms, 0.3 per cent. The stocks on hand, as reported by the different classes of business concerns, are given in Table 26, and the quantities reported as in transit are given in the last column of the same table. The relative holdings of the classes of concerns above enumerated are shown graphically in Diagram 19.

The number of schedules upon which the figures in this report are based is shown, by classes of business, in Table 27.

Table 26.—Stocks of canned peas reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported Comparative Figures—From 1918 and 1917.		OR BOTH	Quantity reported as in		
CLASS OF BUSINESS	as on hand	1918 st	tocks.		transit	
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.	
Total	Pounds. 128,288,702	Pounds. 102,633,537	135.6	Pounds. 75,678,499	Pounds. 2,872,634	
Canners	72,545,005	58,952,883	198.2	29,743,754	2,524,930	
Warehouses	7,100,629	3,187,544	133.2	2,393,494	57	
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers_ Other wholesale	48,321,747 43,372,180	40,274,597 36,037,497	92.9 89.0	43,343,034 40,499,529	347,269 287,170	
dealers	4,949,567	4,237,100	149.0	2,843,505	60,099	
Miscellaneous	321,321	218,513	110.2	198,217	378	

Diagram 19.—Distribution of Total Stocks of Canned Peas Reported for July 1, 1918, by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers.

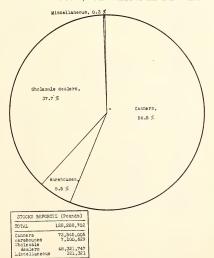


Table 27.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned peas.

Class of business.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	5,194	4,054
Canners	213	166
Warehouses	123	76
Wholesale dealers	4,366 3,597 769	3,511 2,899 612
Miscellaneous	492	301

Geographic Distribution of Stocks Reported.

The geographic distribution of the commercial stocks of canned peas, as reported by the classes of concerns here considered, is shown in Table 28. The East North Central division, as the figures indicate, reported about two-fifths of the total stocks of canned peas. The South Atlantic division ranked second in stocks of canned peas, with nearly one-fifth of the United States total, and the Middle Atlantic division third. Among the individual states, Wisconsin ranked first, Illinois second, Maryland third, Indiana fourth, and New York fifth. The stocks reported for the eighteen most important states are represented in graphic form in Diagram 20.

The quantities reported as in transit are shown by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 28.

Diagram 20.—Stocks of Canned Peas Reported by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers for the Eighteen Most Important States.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

About four-fifths of the returns, based on the quantity reported gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year reports are given by classes of business in Table 26, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 29. These figures indicate that, with the exception of the stocks held by the wholesale dealers, the holdings on the date of the Survey were materially larger than the corresponding holdings one year earlier. The total stocks of canned peas reported for July 1, 1918, were 35.6 per cent larger than those held by the same firms on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are shown graphically, for the canners, the warehouses, and the wholesale dealers, in Diagram 21.

Table 28.—Slocks of canned peas reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

	STOCKS REPORTED AS ON HAND JULY 1, 1918.							
·		1		М.	holesale dealer	s.		Quantity reported
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Total.	Canners.	Warehouses.	Total.	Wholesale grocers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Miscella- neous.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.
United States	Pounds. 128,288,702	Pounds. 72,545,005	Pounds. 7,100,629	Pounds. 48,321,747	Pounds. 43,372,180	Pounds. 4,949,567	Pounds. 321,321	Pounds. 2,872,634
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS:								
New England	3,023,068	1,860	542,022	2,465,532	2,210,720	254,812	13,654	5,710
Middle Atlantic	19,233,652	7,714,547	3,051,578	8,313,132	7,517,051	796,081	154,395	479,664
East North Central West North Central		40,065,379 366,590	810,202 251,335	11,950,838 8,786,282	10,598,149 7,937,665	1,352,689 848,617	36,373 63,258	594,589 81,409
South Atlantic	22,925,686	16,870,119	2,064,575	3,971,307	3,534,918	436,389	19,685	1,612,542
East South Central	2,954,187	560,529	16,494	2,373,738	2,281,968	91,770	3,426	4,898
West South Central		19,250	64,316	4,644,269	4,216,341	427,928	1,430	20,525
Mountain Pacific	6,002,110 7,090,477	3,270,911 3,675,820	32,220 267,887	2,690,965 3,125,684	2,337,117 2,738,251	353,848 387,433	8,014 21,086	57,596 15,701
New England:								
Maine	479,834		500	478,053	458,885	19,168	1,281	2,012
New Hampshire	122,038	1,860		119,241	111,503	7,738	937	350
Vermont Massachusetts	54,587		485,402	54,257 1,230,119	45,285 1,142,221	8,972 87,898	330 5,637	256 2,652
Rhode Island	356,114		26,720	328,405	233,002	95,403	989	380
Connecticut	289,337		29,400	255,457	219,824	35,633	4,480	60
Middle Atlantic:			0.000.00	0.000	0.460.77	007 707		000.000
New York New Jersey	11,489,312 2,308,861	5,214,738 1,644,908	2,388,833	3,748,678 656,632	3,480,950 593,910	267,728 62,722	137,063 7,321	206,928 62,298
Pennsylvania	5,435,479	854,901	662,745	3,907,822	3,442,191	465,631	10,011	210,438
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:	5,258,388	1,624,199	31,493	2 507 961	9 505 707	21 524	5,435	86,425
OhioIndiana		9,851,398	01,490	3,597,261 1,753,521	3,565,727 1,598,365	31,534 155,156	2,778	221,630
Illinois.	14,028,452	9,302,834	586,634	4,130,328	3,194,961	935,367	8,656	133,442
Michigan		3,421,199 15,865,749	42,220 149,855	1,504,401 965,327	1,365,552 873,544	138,849 91,783	13,677 5,827	145,887 7,205
West North Central:	10,380,730	10,000,140	145,000	303,021	010,011	91,100	. 0,021	1,200
Minnesota	2,086,654	101,590	112,115	1,852,746	1,545,462	307,284	20,203	17,391
Iowa	2,598,001		91,870	2,469,859	2,364,604	105,255	36,272	16,306
Missouri	1,839,306		22,170	1,812,153	1,663,710	148,443	4,983	18,262
North DakotaSouth Dakota	219,499 248,154			219,430 248,154	178,719 229,194	40,711 18,960	69	4,676 160
Nebraska	1,165,885		20,680	1,144,583	994,867	149,716	622	4,860
Kansas	1,299,966	255,000	4,500	1,039,357	961,109	78,248	1,109	19,754
South Atlantic:								200.00=
Delaware		6,191,877	851,979	110,475 675,265	30,275	80,200 53,708	2,304 14,157	683,837 898,102
Maryland District of Columbia	12,381,910 160,691	10,614,762	1,077,726 57,276	103,245	621,557 86,271	16,974	170	030,102
Virginia		61,500	9,000	559,023	451,423	107,600	325	10,465
West Virginia	1,350,789	540		1.350,031	1,325,277	24,754	218	13,821
North Carolina		1,440		216,645	176,400	40,245	1,000	1,950 710
South Carolina Georgia			67,336 1,258	170,046 494,498	134,669 427,452	35,377 67,046	432	753
Florida				292,079	281,594	10,485	1,079	2,904
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:		,		050.00	900 100	10.100	0.000	3,900
Kentucky Tennessee		560,529	6,120 5,250	850,687 1,030,244	838,489 975,149	12,198 55,095	3,096	898
Alabama	301,840	000,020	5,124	296,686	295,054	1,632	30	100
Mississippi				196,121	173,276	22,845		
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:	919 900	10.050		295,078	293,606	1,472	10	276
Arkansas Louisiana	313,338 703,353	18,250		702,303	659,862	42,441	1,050	3,050
Oklahoma	1,026,437		3,346	1,023,046	1,021,659	1,387	45	9,055
Texas	2,686,137	1,000	60,970	2,623,842	2,241,214	382,628	325	8,144
Mountain: Montana	627,255	8,790	7,900	603,944	377,437	226,507	6,621	1,615
Idaho	309,360	11,550	11,377	286,388	285,669	719	45	1,375
Wyoming	158,534			158,424	158,424		110	990
Colorado	1,811,386	1,211,088	11,655	587,606	482,566	105,040	1,037	3,679
New Mexico	234,459		1,146	233,287	233,057	230	26 25	500 600
Arizona Utah	363,096 2,479,906	2,039,483	142	362,929 440,273	341,637 440,273	21,292	150	48,837
Nevada	18,114	2,009,400		18,114	18,054	60		
Pacific:	800 453		01.70-	954 400	900 100	04.025	1 547	2,956
	398,475	799	21,701	374,428	280,193	94,235	1,547	2,900
Washington Oregon	408,655		12,500	395,643	365,585	39,058	512	1,440

DIAGRAM 21.—STOCKS OF CANNED PEAS REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, AND JULY 1, 1917, BY IMPORTANT CLASSES OF BUSINESS.

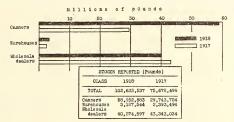


Table 29.—Comparative figures for canned peas—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917.	
United States	Pounds. 102,633,537	Pounds. 75,678,49	
Geographic divisions: New England. Middle Atlantic East North Central. West North Central. South Atlantic East South Central. West South Central. West South Central. Wountain. Pacific.	2,106,167 14,599,872 42,987,065 8,139,768 20,612,488 2,267,121 3,951,985 4,697,329 3,271,742	2,950,229 11,959,733 16,553,077 9,416,883 23,875,466 1,896,197 3,291,212 2,576,606 3,159,099	
New England: Maine New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts Rhode Island Connecticut	379,508 69,966 26,104 1,130,650 302,911 197,028	511,920 100,516 36,203 1,793,950 216,276 291,364	
Middle Atlantic: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	8,004,176 2,126,072 4,469,624	5,465,266 1,712,063 4,782,404	
East North Central: Ohio	4,838,042 9,617,973 11,545,271 4,082,845 12,902,934	4,522,840 3,487,551 5,604,609 1,536,090 1,401,986	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: Minnesota Jowa Missouri North Dakota South Dakota Nebraska Nebraska	1,780,022 2,375,902 1,552,510 218,832 193,924 924,758 1,093,820	1,175,404 2,350,056 2,301,869 274,118 110,790 1,290,418 1,914,226	
South Atlantic: Delaware Maryland District of Columbia Virginia West Virginia North Carolina South Garolina Georgia Florida	7,151,645 11,286,061 50,609 384,489 754,972 175,810 189,459 387,920 231,523	8,859,186 12,680,29 97,66 496,755 702,72 93,77 108,27 419,89 416,89	
East South Gentral: Kentucky Tennessee Alabama Missistiph	703,339 1,156,270 283,403 124,109	819,689 733,011 249,870 93,627	
West South Central: Arkansas. Louisiana Oklahoma Texas.	277,586 644,838 657,404 2,372,157	343,571 450,688 483,473 2,013,480	
Mountain: Montana. Idaho. Wyoming Colorado. New Mexico. Arizona Utah Newada.	461,190 297,810 121,654 927,917 186,057 224,691 2,459,956 18,054	202,566 140,579 117,744 378,877 138,527 157,526 1,408,216 32,583	
Pacific: Washington Oregon California	374,817 346,533 2,550,392	536,553 421,184 2,201,362	

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF BAKED BEANS

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial stocks of baked beans, together with the quantities in transit, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by all classes of business concerns except retail dealers, amounted to 108,130,411 pounds, comprising 98,303,832 pounds reported as on hand and 9,826,579 pounds in transit. Of the stocks on hand, the canners held 31.0 per cent; the warehouses, 5.6 per cent; the whole-sale dealers, 62.8 per cent; and a miscellaneous group of firms, 0.6 per cent. The stocks reported as on hand are shown, by classes of business, in the first column of Table 30, and the quantities reported as in transit in the last column. The relative holdings reported by each of the classes of concerns above enumerated are represented graphically in Diagram 22.

The number of schedules received and tabulated for baked beans is shown, by classes of dealers, in Table 32.

Table 30.—Stocks of canned baked beans reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

Total stocks reported		Comparate Firms RI	Quantity reported as in		
CLASS OF BUSINESS.	as on hand	. 1918 s	tocks.		transit
1	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.
Total	Pounds. 98,303,832	Pounds. 83,965,567	146.9	Pounds. 57,145,821	Pounds. 9,826,579
Canners	30,461,446	27,490,744	247.4	11,110,126	9,212,127
Warehouses	5,535,087	3,512,604	186.1	1,887,207	33
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers_ Other wholesale	61,716,196 53,061,643	52,528,484 44,651,280	120.0 118.3	43,765,613 37,736,474	585,508 483,516
dealers	8,654,553	7,877,204	130.7	6,029,139	101,992
Miscellaneous	591,103	433,735	113.3	382,875	28,911

Diagram 22.—Distribution of Total Stocks of Canned Baked Beans Reported for July 1, 1918, by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers.

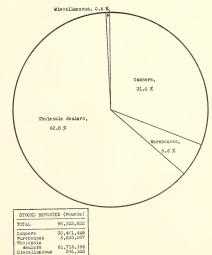


Table 31.—Stocks of canned baked beans reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

			STOCKS REPORT	ED AS ON HANI	JULY 1, 1918.				
				W	holesale dealer	s.		Quantity reported	
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Total.	Canners.	Warehouses.	Total,	Wholesale grocers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Miscella- neous.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.	
United States	Pounds. 98,303,832	Pounds. 30,461,446	Pounds. 5,535,087	Pounds. 61,716,196	Pounds. 53,061,643	Pounds. 8,654,553	Pounds. 591,103	Pounds. 9,826,579	
Geographic divisions:				1				1	
New England	7,576,035	223,283	570,063	6.752,190	5,613,799	1,138,391	30,499	380.753	
Middle Atlantic	19,613,710	5.865,130	1,139,045	12,282,217	11,286,291	995,926	327,318	2,916,507	
East North Central	28,658,720	13,687,234	1,001,659	13,832,113	11,208,760	2,623,353	137,714	5,157,922	
West North Central	11,563,615	2,407,290	565,838	8,549,649	7,203,653	1,345,996	40,838	129,466	
South Atlantic East South Central	14,521,860	7,184,607 29,980	916,220 629,440	6,399,507	5,641,331	755,176	21,526	1,139,193	
West South Central	3,718,688 5,967,970	149.307	176,376	3,057,244 5,639,172	2,763,994 5,113,092	293,250 526,080	2,024 3,115	9,424	
Mountain	2,940,477	212,603	182,251	2,539,464	2,257,117	282,347	6,159	50,198 9,273	
Pacific	3,742,757	702,012	354,195	2,664,640	1,970,606	694,034	21,910	33,843	
New England: Maine	1,360,342	198,321	21,402	1,138,159	941,849	196,310	2,460	375,833	
New Hampshire	282,051	5,306	21,402	273,619	200,291	73,328	3,126	1,024	
Vermont	140,026	10,096		129,127	107,548	21,579	803	282	
Massachusetts	3,992,042	9,560	407,846	3,552,808	2,888,635	664,173	21,828	3,230	
Rhode Island	751,754	3,300	140,815	610,601	529,849	80,752	338	100	
Connecticut	1,049,820			1,047,876	945,627	102,249	1,944	284	
Middle Atlantic:									
New York	6,457,977	235,620	664,945	5,448,635	4,899,211	549,424	108,777	68,150	
New Jersey	1,702,159	530,699		1,075,736	989,693	86,043	95,724	2,198,258	
Pennsylvania	11,453,574	5,098,811	474,100	5,757,846	5,397,387	360,459	122,817	650,099	
East North Central:									
Ohio	4,464,258	410,155	84,579	3,966,019	3,850,086	115,933	3,505	173,214	
Indiana	8,337,450	6,642,260	37	1,594,293	1,564,554	29,739	100,860	2,174,844	
Illinois	9,739,544	3,425,282	850,975	5,446,759	3,144,742	2,302,017	16,528	647,862	
Michigan	4,565,767 1,551,701	2,910,870 298,667	1,145 64,923	1,643,274	1,574,165	69,109	10,478	2,156,845	
Wisconsin	1,331,701	298,007	04,923	1,181,768	1,075,213	106,555	6,343	5,157	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL:	1 201 575		173,350	1,193,547	007.007	907.559	17.070	13.088	
Minnesota Iowa	1,384,575 3,216,072	1,386,845	10,469	1,802,058	985,995 1,674,112	207,552 127,946	17,678 16,700	74,317	
Mi-souri	2,725,910	191,285	93,413	2,438,125	2,000,721	437,404	3,087	13,990	
North Dakota	258,922	191,200	95,415	258,894	209,984	48,910	28	4,085	
South Dakota	274,432			274,432	239,647	34,785	20	. 180	
Nebraska	1,859,335	829,160	96,606	931,833	648,304	283,529	1,736	3,040	
Kansas	1.844,369		192,000	1,650,760	1,444,890	205,870	1,609	20,769	
South Atlantic:								+	
Delaware	102,230			102,080	92,687	9,393	150	1,746	
Maryland	8,737,948	7,182,867	852.646	700,451	606,974	93,477	1,984	1,108,49	
District of Columbia	506,445		. 18,622	487,703	438,255	49,448	120	35-	
Virginia	1,850,910		6,500	1,835,432	1,654,285	181,147	8,978	8,23	
West Virginia	977.016	1,740		975,068	879,033	96,035	208	15,76	
North Carolina	601.941			600,824	544,369	56,455	1,117	2,11	
South Carolina	360,205			360.205	278,276	81,929	9.070	011	
GeorgiaFlorida	699,554 685,611		38,452	652,423 685,321	557,369 593,083	95,054 92,238	8,679 290	918	
				1					
East South Central: kentucky	830,932	4,292		826,041	732,819	93,222	599	6,29	
Tennessee	1,699,841	310	594,000	1,105,309	1,055,723	49,586	222	2,15	
Alabama	947,934	25,378	35,440	885,913	765,516	120,397	1,203	97	
Mississippi	239,981			239,981	209,936	30,045			
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL:									
Arkansas	691,067	28,250		662,725	651,040	11,685	92	1,32	
Louisiana	653,102		44,097	608,245	550,165	58,080	760	5,84	
Oklahoma	1,529,908	121.057	9,383	1,520,041 2,848,161	1,338,956	181,085	484	6,89	
Texas	3,093,893	121,037	122,890	2,848,101	2,572,931	275,230	1,779	36,14	
Mountain: Montana	400 707			407 571	205 000	01.700	5,024	9.10	
MontanaIdahoI	492,595 291,778		1,350	487,571 290,397	395,833 285,716	91,738 4,681	5,024	2,16 1,14	
Wyoming	174,661		1,000	174,371	174,371	4,001	290	50	
Colorado	761,888	37.594	179,665	543,846	461,028	82,818	783	3,45	
New Mexico	343,731	0.,001	1,236	342,481	341,872	612	11	66	
Arizona	220,039			220,019	217,455	2,564	20	50	
Utah	647,175	175,009		472,166	372,632	99,534		_ 80	
Nevada	8,610			8,610	°8,210	400		- 4	
Pacific:			1						
Washington	664,208	67,683		522,201	419,383	102,818	882	4.22	
Oregon	532,041	22,760		462,379	438,183	24,196	2,289	1,17	
California	2,546,508	611,569	236.140	1,680,060	1,113,040	567,020	18,739	28,44	

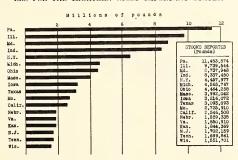
Table 32.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned baked beans.

Class of business.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	5,383	4,192
Canners	99	81
Warehouses	122	72
Wholesale dealers	4,624 3,682 942	3,702 2,914 788
Miscellaneous	538	337

The geographic distribution of the commercial stocks of baked beans covered by this report is shown in Table 31. The East North Central division, as the table indicates, ranked first in commercial stocks of baked beans, the Middle Atlantic division second, and the South Atlantic division third. Among the individual states, Pennsylvania ranked first, Illinois second, Maryland third, Indiana fourth, and New York fifth. The stocks reported for the eighteen most important states are represented graphically in Diagram 23.

The geographic distribution of the quantities reported as in transit is shown in the last column of Table 31.

Diagram 23.—Stocks of Canned Baked Beans Reported by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers for the Eighteen Most Important States.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

More than 85 per cent of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year schedules are given by classes of business in Table 30, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 33. From these figures it may be seen that each class of business concerns held materially larger stocks on the date of the Survey than one year earlier. The total stocks reported for July 1, 1918, were 46.9 per cent larger than those held by the same firms on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are represented graphically, for the canners, the warehouses, and the wholesale dealers, in Diagram 24.

Diagram 24.—Stocks of Canned Baked Beans Reported for July 1, 1918, and July 1, 1917, by Important Classes of Business.

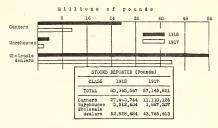


Table 33.—Comparative figures for canned baked beans—combined slocks of manufacturers, slorage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

Geographic division and state.	Stocks reported for	Stocks reported for
	July 1, 1918.	July 1, 1917.
United States	Pounds. 83,965,567	Pounds. 57,145,821
Geographic divisions: New England. Middle Atlantic East North Gentral West North Gentral South Atlantic East South Central West South Central West South Central West South Central Pacific Pacific	12,895,967 3,355,796 4,677,517	4,110,741 16,054,411 13,137,907 7,800,967 5,971,846 1,793,101 2,909,046 2,009,008 3,358,806
New England: Maine New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts Hhode Island Connecticut	1,300,445 214,500 78,329 3,089,908 518,334 686,145	1,391,529 191,147 58,905 1,783,226 259,801 426,133
Middle Atlantic; New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	5,303,681 1,370,542 10,444,643	4,374,123 638,748 11,041,538
EAST NORTH CENTRAL: Ohio Indiana Illinois Wichigan Wisconsin	4,036,520 7,131,514 8,726,974 4,047,334 1,206,717	3,729,318 1,943,318 4,900,478 1,694,127 870,666
West North Central; Minnesota: Iowa	254,550 201,246 715,450	1,161,585 2,088,156 2,757,467 273,029 162,856 402,027 955,851
South Atlantic: Delaware. Maryland. District of Columbia Virginia. West Virginia. North Carolina. South Carolina. Georgia. Florida.	516,268 283,360 537,079	56,063 3,103,088 132,069 594,148 546,355 419,156 225,560 352,113 543,288
East South Gentral: Kentucky, Tenuessee Alabama. Mississippi	747,032 1,560,106 876,057 172,601	637,436 635,406 405,926 114,338
West South Gentral: Arkansas Louisiana Oklahoma Texas	1,050,588	386,956 371,606 631,740 1,518,738
MOUNTAIN: MORIARIA Idaho Wyoming Colorado New Mexico Arizona Utah Newada	159,881 639,675	327,252 182,699 86,276 513,522 140,988 129,57- 619,620 9,087
Pacific: Washington Oregon California	621,205 473,157 1,939,283	400,669 474,138 2,483,993

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF MISCELLA-NEOUS CANNED VEGETABLES

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial stocks of miscellaneous canned vegetables (lima beans, string beans, pumpkin, asparagus, etc.), together with the quantities in transit, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by business concerns other than retail dealers, amounted to 205,632,497 pounds. Of this amount, 198,220,048 pounds were reported as on hand and 7,412,449 pounds as in transit. Of the stocks on hand, the canners held 33.5 per cent; the warehouses, 8.4 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 57.1 per cent; and a miscellaneous group of firms, 1.0 per cent. The stocks reported as on hand are shown, by classes of business concerns, in the first column of Table 34, while the quantity reported as in transit is similarly shown in the last column of the same table. The relative holdings of the different classes of concerns above enumerated are shown graphically in Diagram 25.

The number of schedules received and tabulated for stocks of miscellaneous canned vegetables is shown by classes of dealers in Table 35.

Table 34.—Stocks of miscellaneous canned vegetables reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported	Comparate Firms re 19	Quantity reported as in		
Class of business.	as on band	1918 st	tocks.		transit
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.
Total	Pounds. 198,220,048	Pounds. 146,312,980	156.5	Pounds. 93,501,442	Pounds. 7,412,449
Canners	66,394,315	36,025,152	273.7	13,160,590	5,566,600
Warehouses	16,631,553	11,692,752	358.7	3,260,196	1,129
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers_ Other wholesale	113,195,774 96,458,711	97,485,691 83,368,974	127.6 118.4	76,401,503 70,393,536	1,844,397 801,124
dealers	16,737,063	14,116,717	235.0	6,007,967	1,043,273
Miscellaneous	1,998,406	1,109,385	163.3	679,153	323

Diagram 25.—Distribution of Total Stocks of Miscellaneous Canned Vegetables Reported for July 1, 1918, by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers.

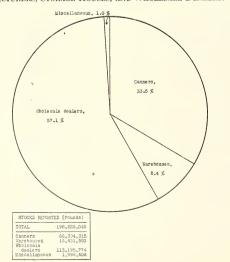


Table 35.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting miscellaneous canned vegetables.

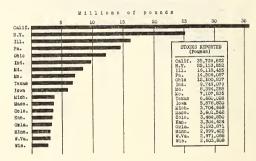
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4,216 3,365 851 3,348 2,684 664
631 419

Geographic Distribution of Stocks Reported.

The geographic distribution of the commercial stocks of miscellaneous canned vegetables, as reported by the various classes of business concerns here considered, is shown in Table 36. The East North Central division, it may be noticed, ranked first in stocks reported, the Middle Atlantic division second, and the Pacific division third. Among the individual states, California ranked first, reporting 35,739,822 pounds of miscellaneous canned vegetables, or considerably more than one-sixth of the total for the entire country. The state of New York came second, with 25,153,852 pounds, or more than one-eighth of the total, and Illinois and Pennsylvania were third and fourth, respectively. The stocks reported for the eighteen most important states are represented graphically in Diagram 26.

The quantities reported as in transit are shown by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 36.

Diagram 26.—Stocks of Miscellaneous Canned Vegetables Reported by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers for the Eighteen Most Important States.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

Nearly three-fourths of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year schedules are given by classes of business in Table 34, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 37. These figures indicate that the stocks of miscellaneous canned vegetables on the date of the Survey were considerably larger than those of a year earlier, each class of business concerns reporting materially increased holdings. The total stocks on July 1, 1918, were 56.5 per cent larger than those held by the same firms on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are represented graphically, for each class of business concerns here considered except the miscellaneous group, in Diagram 27.

Table 36.—Slocks of miscellaneous canned vegetables reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

TOTAL. Pounds. 98,220,048 7,124,010 41,091,379 44,276,847 16,008,462 5,075,965 13,614,834 8,713,104 39,891,686 1,902,771 290,268 271,268 271,268 271,7041 25,153,852 1,431,440 14,506,087	Canners. Pounds. 66,394,315 360,940 14,344,463 12,779,065 1,823,083 6,498,561 495,179 552,316 1,468,011 28,072,697 165,553 195,387	Warehouses. Pounds. 16,631,553 1,232,940 8,951,678 2,063,720 595,055 1,852,136 83,465 305,801 173,515 1,373,243 671,784 412,726 148,430	W Total. Pounds. 113,195,774 5,210,347 17,429,330 28,495,438 19,818,270 7,637,024 4,492,823 12,746,652 7,039,305 10,326,585 1,057,035 289,093 75,109 2,925,528 322,130 541,452	Wholesale dealer Wholesale grocers. Pounds. 96,458,711 4,037,189 15,902,135 22,807,143 17,831,834 6,563,509 3,990,804 11,765,922 6,324,053 7,236,122 1,000,846 247,987 68,868 2,023,687 216,028	Other wholesale dealers. Pounds. 16,737,063 1,173,158 1,527,195 5,688,295 1,986,436 1,073,515 502,019 980,730 715,252 3,090,463 56,189 41,106 6,241	Miscella- neous. Pounds. 1,998,406 319,783 365,908 938,624 187,353 20,741 4,498 10,065 32,273 119,161 8,399 1,175 553	Quantity reported, as in transit on July 1, 1918. Pounds. 7,412,445 19,588 277,722 661,191 276,766 806,222 167,288 156,342 58,177 4,989,146
Pounds. 98,220,048 7,124,010 41,091,379 44,276,847 22,423,761 16,008,462 5,075,965 3,514,834 8,713,104 39,891,686 1,902,771 290,268 271,049 3,601,562 481,319 577,041 25,153,852 1,431,450,087	Pounds. 66,394,315 360,940 14,344,463 12,779,065 1,823,083 6,498,561 495,179 552,316 1,468,011 28,072,697 165,553 195,387	Pounds. 16,631,553 1,232,940 8,951,678 2,063,720 559,055 1,852,136 83,465 305,801 173,515 1,373,243 671,784	Pounds. 113,195,774 5,210,347 17,429,330 28,495,438 19,818,270 7,637,024 4,492,823 12,746,652 7,039,305 10,326,585 1,057,035 289,093 75,109 2,925,528 322,130	Pounds. 96,458,711 4,037,189 15,902,135 22,807,143 17,831,834 6,563,509 3,990,804 11,765,922 6,324,053 7,236,122 1,000,846 247,987 68,868 2,023,687	wholesale dealers. Pounds. 16,737,063 1,173,158 1,527,195 5,688,295 1,986,436 1,073,515 502,019 980,730 715,252 3,090,463 56,189 41,106 6,241	neous. Pounds. 1,998,406 319,783 365,908 938,624 187,353 20,741 4,498 10,065 32,273 119,161 8,399 1,175	as in transit on July 1, 1918. Pounds. 7,412,445 19,583 277,723 661,19) 276,766 S06,221 167,286 156,344 58,177 4,989,146
98,220,048 7,124,010 41,091,379 44,276,847 22,423,761 16,008,462 5,075,965 13,614,834 8,713,104 39,891,686 1,902,771 290,268 271,049 3,601,562 481,319 577,041 25,153,852 1,431,440 14,506,087	66,394,315 360,940 14,344,463 12,779,065 1,823,083 6,498,561 495,179 552,316 1,468,011 28,072,697 165,553 195,387	16,631,553 1,232,940 8,951,678 2,063,720 595,055 1,852,136 83,465 305,801 173,515 1,373,243 671,784	113,195,774 5,210,347 17,429,330 28,495,438 19,818,270 7,637,024 4,492,823 12,746,652 7,039,305 10,326,585 1,057,035 289,093 75,109 2,925,528 322,130	96,458,711 4,037,189 15,902,135 22,807,143 17,831,834 6,663,509 3,990,804 11,765,922 6,324,053 7,236,122 1,000,846 247,987 68,868 2,023,687	16,737,063 1,173,158 1,527,195 5,688,295 1,986,436 1,073,515 502,019 980,730 715,252 3,090,463 56,189 41,106 6,241	1,998,406 319,783 365,908 938,624 187,353 20,741 4,498 10,065 32,273 119,161 8,399 1,175	7,412,445 19,585 277,725 661,199 276,766 806,225 167,288 156,345 58,177 4,989,146
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	225,543	7,316,262	6,908,942	6,411,091	497,851	55,340	128,969
12,100,837	3,480,367	62,319	7,914,397	7,336,893	577,504	643,754	55,61
9,749,079	6,631,108	17,670	3,089,344	2,924,065	165,279	10,957	423,32
16,118,455	1,032,225	1,952,777	13,032,933	8,350,518	4,682,415	100,520	135,28
3,704,668	588,674	30,954	2,991,432	2,821,206	170,226	93,608	33,67
2,603,808	1,046,691		1,467,332	1,374,461	92,871	89,785	13,29
2,999,422	2,112	156,349	2,836,526	2,739,753	96,773	4,435	45,13
5,878,820	1,676,179	166,700	3,973,263	3,487,086	486,177	62,678	100,769
7,107,835	38,000	59,999	6,923,047	6,429,086	493,961	86,789	77,432 5,420
						2,071	270
		167 847				13 344	23,200
3,304,624	100,752	44,160	3,243,028	2,991,013	252,015	17,436	24,540
212,598	157,594		55,004	43,153	11,851		18,86
8,394,288	6,278,617	1,580,867	532,426	340,534	191,892	2,378	743,293
435,797		114,420	- 318,054	144,003	174,051	3,323	
1,645,191	200	156,840	1,486,888	1,309,495	177,393	1,263	5,873
							27,165
	51,500						3,84
	0.880						1,53
878,453	8,778	9	876,344	524,161 844,250	32,094	2,109	1,548 4,113
1,584,163		25,940	1,557,306	1,450,278	107,028	917	31,448
2,141,002	263,039	9,625	1,865,967	1,609,266	256,701	2,371	88,18
693,354		47,900	644,244	629,859	14,385	1,210	2,289
657,446	232,140		425,306	301,401	123,905		45,372
2 030 379	25 769		1 900 751	1 854 710	136 041	2 864	9,910
		157.525					76,215
3,193,871	500,200				57,504		21,541
6,680,028	7,097	137,121	6,534,478	5,958,882	575,596	1,332	48,673
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						22	2,436 3,074
		210				56	2,700
54,050			54,050	54,050	22,100		72
2,160,527	129,623	83,985	1,910,123	1,643,451	266,672	36,796 4,142	20,260
1,991,337		1,186,508	7,011,598	1,100,483	218,381		6,988
	212,598 8,394,284 435,797 1,645,191 2,971,088 567,910 216,622 686,515 878,453 1,584,163 2,141,002 693,354 657,446 2,030,378 1,710,557 3,193,871 6,680,028 1,540,096 1,054,074 289,213 3,484,850 516,748 607,239 1,166,834 64,050 2,160,527 1,991,337	318,196 2,525,830 3,304,624 212,598 8,394,288 433,797 1,645,191 2,971,088 567,910 216,622 686,515 878,453 2,141,002 693,354 657,446 232,140 2,030,378 3,5763 1,710,557 3,193,871 6,680,028 7,097 1,540,096 1,054,074 289,213 3,484,850 516,748 607,239 1,166,834 607,239 1,166,834 54,050 2,160,527 129,623	318,196 2,525,830 3,304,624	318,196 318,196 2,525,830 106,792 167,847 2,237,847 3,304,624 44,160 3,243,028 212,598 157,594 55,004 8,394,288 6,278,617 1,580,867 532,426 435,797 114,420 318,054 1,645,191 200 156,840 1,486,888 2,971,088 1,872 2,967,634 567,910 51,500 510,835 216,622 215,162 686,515 8,778 9 674,677 878,453 25,940 1,557,306 1,584,163 25,940 1,557,306 2,141,002 263,039 9,625 1,865,967 693,354 47,900 644,244 657,446 232,140 425,306 2,030,378 35,763 1,990,751 1,710,557 509,456 157,525 1,042,678 3,193,871 11,155 3,178,745 6,680,028 7,097 137,121 6,534,478	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$

DIAGRAM 27.—STOCKS OF MISCELLANEOUS CANNED VEGETABLES REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, AND JULY 1, 1917, BY IMPORTANT CLASSES OF BUSINESS.



Table 37.—Comparative figures for miscellaneous canned vegetables combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917.
United States	Pounds. 146,312,980	Pounds. 93,501,442
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS: New England. Middle Atlantic East North Central. West North Central. South Atlantic East South Central. West South Central. West South Central. Mountain.	5,773,531 29,939,943 35,706,871 19,461,535 12,198,636 4,265,020 10,831,983 7,706,797 20,428,664	3,941,200 15,694,477 21,706,947 15,639,293 7,837,177 3,062,604 7,711,212 4,661,100 13,247,432
New England: Maine New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts Hhode Island Connecticut	1,787,509 255,473 215,898 2,855,950 292,656 366,045	979,066 366,125 193,111 1,798,110 214,415 390,373
Middle Atlantic: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	15,869,464 862,756 13,207,723	8,506,685 715,469 6,472,323
EAST NORTH CENTRAL: Ohio Indiana Illinois Wichigan Wisconsin	10,831,558 7,650,938 12,581,659 3,056,829 1,585,887	5,411,057 3,277,454 9,460,430 2,207,691 1,350,315
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: Minnesota Iowa Missouri North Dakota South Dakota Nebraska Kansas	2,736,451 5,233,847 6,262,972 286,407 289,235 1,813,570 2,839,053	1,926,371 3,222,976 5,649,029 230,220 224,657 1,689,071 2,696,969
SOUTH ATLANTIC: Delaware Maryland. District of Columbia Virginia West Virginia North Carolina South Carolina Georgia Florida	211,097 7,063,865 248,230 1,041,458 1;703,481 397,266 168,029 582,885 782,325	42,241 4,046,404 116,699 945,598 1,403,977 254,278 120,584 383,899 523,497
East South Central: Kentucky Kentucky Alabama Mississippi	1,463,642 1,740,251 579,090 482,037	1,151,641 1,281,138 452,615 177,210
West South Central: Arkansas. Louisiana Oklahoma. Texas.	1,816,115 1,084,798 2,106,840 5,824,230	. 1,376,230 520,461 1,463,709 4,350,812
MOUNTAIN: Montana. Idaho Wyoming Colorado New Mexico. Arizona Utah Nevada	1,341,251 1,018,481 158,416 3,254,970 288,937 474,593 1,116,099 54,050	468,119 337,760 138,122 2,310,180 236,390 294,177 801,628 74,724
Pacific: Washington Oregon California.	1,945,326 1,758,981 16,724,357	1,239,886 1,039,257 10,968,289

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF CANNED FRUITS AND BERRIES

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial stocks of canned fruits and berries, together with the quantities in transit, as reported by all classes of business concerns except retail dealers, in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, amounted to 260,131,943 pounds. Of this amount, 251,744,386 pounds represented stocks on hand and 8,387,557 pounds quantities in transit. Of the stocks reported as on hand, the canners held 17.7 per cent; the warehouses, 13.5 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 63.2 per cent; the bakers, 2.8 per cent; and a miscellaneous group of firms, 2.8 per cent. Figures for these stocks, as actually reported by the several classes of business, are given in the first column of Table 38, and the quantities in transit are similarly given in the last column of the same table. The relative holdings of the classes of concerns above enumerated are shown in graphic form in Diagram 28.

The number of schedules received and tabulated for stocks of canned fruits and berries is shown, by classes of business, in Table 40.

Table 38.—Stocks of canned fruits and berries reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported		IVE FIGUR PORTING F 8 AND 191	OR BOTH	Quantity reported as in
CLASS OF BUSINESS.	as on hand	1918 st	ocks.		transit
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1. 1918.
Total	Pounds. 251,744,386	Pounds. 198,218,197	138.8	Pounds. 142,843,707	Pounds. 8,387,557
Canners	44,646,739	38,674,140	349.6	11,062,086	6,450,325
Warehouses	33,920,244	11,999,603	191.6	6,263,876	13,600
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers_ Other wholesale	159,138,270 128,832,874	135,378,866 108,307,333	117.7 108.6	115,050,981 99,759,751	1,902,017 1,010,284
dealers	30,305,396	27,071,533	177.0	15,291,230	800,733
Bakers	7,081,558	6,113,585	111.4	5,488,713	2,123
Miscellaneous Manufacturers of	6,957,575	6,052,003	121.6	4,978,051	19,492
preserves Confectioners Other miscellaneous	3,829,449 1,210,225 1,917,901	3,162,107 1,132,993 1,756,903	179.0 93.0 88.2	1,766,675 1,218,464 1,992,912	10,369 1,022 8,101

DIAGRAM 28.—DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL STOCKS OF CANNED FRUITS AND BERRIES REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, BY MANUFAC-TURERS, STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS.

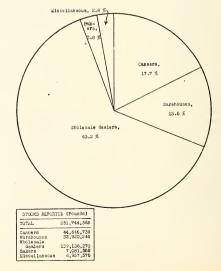


Table 39.—Stocks of canned fruits and berries reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

	I		STOCKS	BEPORTED AS C	ON HAND JULY	1. 1918.			1
	STOCKS REPORTED AS ON HAND JULY 1, 1918. Wholesale dealers.								Quantity reported
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	TOTAL.	Canners.	Warehouses.	Total.	Wholesale grocers.	Other wholesale dealers.	Bakers.	Miscella- neous.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.
United States	Pounds. 251,744,386	Pounds. 44,646,739	Pounds. 33,920,244	Pounds. 159,138,270	Pounds. 128,832,874	Pounds. 30,305,396	Pounds. 7,081,558	Pounds. 6,957,575	Pounds. 8,387,552
GEOGRAPHIC DIVISIONS:									, ,
New England	9,500,090	285,454	1,135,414	6,186,569	4,361,229	1,825,340	307,883	1,584,770	24,73
Middle Atlantic	32,685,107	3,836,116	5,283,923	20,390,897	15,467,290	4,923,607	1,545,744	1,628,427	661,285
East North Central	39,611,776	2,214,119	4,539,196	28,913,954	22,041,664	6,872,290	2,287,649	1,656,858	363,229
West North Central	40,702,618 16,780,525	169,028 3,844,636	3,545,166 1,835,941	35,275,599 10,638,889	29,795,928 8,931,217	5,479,671 1,707,672	1,493,849 326,439	218,976 134,620	278,710 391.069
East South Central	8,432,599	1,083,536	205,023	6,835,508	5,212,493	1,623,015	98,289	210,243	66,398
West South Central		588,222	607,002	19,329,442	16,693,731	2,635,711	131,225	34,417	84,29
Mountain	17,684,788	1,235,126	441,146	15,736,432	13,233,406	2,503,026	208,431	63,653	174,70
Pacific	65,656,575	31,390,502	16,327,433	15,830,980	13,095,916	2,735,064	682,049	1,425,611	6,343,136
New England:		0=1.110		1.150.004	000 100	000 450	4 7 7 70	0.004	
Maine	1,573,062	271,442	112,176	1,170,964 330,604	962,486 239,712	208,478 90,892	15,559 2,964	2,921 456	5,75
New Hampshire Vermont	334,024 123,870			120,311	105,856	14,455	2,964	883	2,189
Massachusetts	6,207,097	14,012	977,985	3,459,280	2,363,680	1,095,600	186,143	1,569,677	15,606
Rhode Island.	408,551	14,012	45,253	340,315	224,210	116,105	21,384	1,599	75
Connecticut	853,486			765,095	465,285	299,810	79,157	9,234	13-
MIDDLE ATLANTIC:									
New York	19,752,237	3,146,714	3,063,074	11,751,506	8,327,093	3,424,413	733,681	1,057,262	335,029
New Jersey Pennsylvania	2,654,589 10,278,281	679,471 9,931	741,160 1,479,689	966,924 7,672,467	700,949 6,439,248	265,975 1,233,219	132,461 679,602	134,573 436,592	6,968
EAST NORTH CENTRAL:	10,210,201	0,,,,,,	1,770,000	1,012,101	0,100,120	2,200,220		100,000	0.00,000
Ohio	8,077,462	353,886	157,33	6,798,475	6,382,654	415,821	376,636	391,129	56,33
Indiana	2,560,105	75	46,955	2,321,294	2,230,298	90,996	142,077	49,704	7,69
Illinois		2,220	4,252,897	15,273,958	9,396,236	5,877,722	1,296,822	1,051,871	210,708
Michigan Wisconsin	5,252,247 1,844,194	1,857,938	6,084 75,924	2,930,249 1,589,978	2,706,791 1,325,685	223,458 264,293	319,174 152,940	138,802 25,352	81,308 7,185
	1,011,101		10,021	1,000,010	1,020,000	201,200	102,010	20,002	1,102
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: Minnesota	4,712,228		426,662	4,202,684	3,705,803	496,881	76,393	6,489	55,912
Iowa	7,901,702	3,200	167,219	7,495,349	6,927,189	568,160	171,723	64,211	48,028
Missouri	13,235,558	70,028	2,343,127	9,855,239	7,798,094	2,057,145	853,343	113,821	85,454
North Dakota	844,720			791,951	651,597	140,354	52,633	136	5,257
South Dakota	738,431			730,078	649,785	89,293	4,665	3,688	240
NebraskaKansas	4,224,552 9,045,427	95,800	404,568 203,590	5,603,813 8,596,485	2,084,102 7,988,358	1,519,711 608,127	96,238 238,854	24,133 6,498	38,900 44,925
South Atlantic:	5,010,121		200,000	0,000,100	1,000,000	000,121	200,001	0,100	11,020
Delawarc	890,699	847,604		12,912	6,161	6,751	26,521	3,662	49,113
Maryland	3,638,469	1,711,558	1,315,760	515,726	339,643	176,083	37,253	58,172	249,428
District of Columbia	427,630		149,748	257,627	152,824	104,803	20,205	50	4:
Virginia	2,013,450	29,030	182,375	1,724,269	1,321,031	403,238	51,277	26,499	18,965
West Virginia	4,274,846	50,619		4,153,426	4,006,896	146,530	48,801	22,000	55,187
North Carolina	1,135,611			1,089,238	766,260	322,978	45,201	1,172	4,538
South Carolina	463,417 2,569,858	1,205,825	485 187,573	460,882	353,025 914,440	107,857 201,792	2,050 40,960	19,268	3,471
Florida	1,366,545	1,205,825	187,373	1,116,232 1,308,577	1,070,937	237,640	54,171	3,797	9,337
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL:						1			
Kentucky	3,488,426	1,052,208	131,218	2,107,751	1,548,572	559,179	24,594	172,655	23,410
Tenncssee	2,674,281	16,466	8,445	2,580,669	2,021,294	559,375	46,808	21,893	37,700
Alabama Mississippi	1,502,299	14.000	65,360	1,395,760	1,121,739	274,021	26,447	14,732	5,120
Mississippi	767,593	14,862		751,328	520,888	230,440	440	963	168
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL: Arkansas	1,483,837	474,318		1,008,528	841,369	167,159	361	630	8,402
Louisiana	1,502,203	19,560	70,477	1.398,081	1,151,513	246,568	613	13,472	13,42
Oklah ma	6,886,023	600	77,766	6,709,819	6,459,254	250,565	97,328	510	38,443
Texas	10,818,245	93,744	458,759	10,213,014	8,241,595	1,971,419	32,923	19,805	24,027
Mountain:									
Montana	3,969,011	257,060	10,440	3,920,450	2,617,924	1,302,526	34,578	3,543	20.771 30,104
Idaho Wyoming	1,890,862 350,577	257,060	9,504	1,620,074 348,921	1,509,001 348,021	111,073	3,582 2,556	642	30,104 5,545
Colorado	5,509,757	453,940	390,054	4,501,446	3,926,929	574,517	128,825	35,492	21,214
New Mexico	1,167,753	200,040	6,380	1.149,470	1,145,960	3,510	11,603	300	2,442
Arizona	1,528,008		648	1,512 234	1,312,329	199,905	14,713	413	2,878
Utah	3.187,950	524,126	24,120	2,604.299	2,293,174	311,125	12,142	23,263	91,747
Nevada	80,870			80,438	80,068	370	432		
Pacific: Washington	5,049,640	783,723	74,631	4,064,393	2,976,076	1,088,317	115,559	11,334	93,536
Oregon	5,849,463	2,023,855						1,076,085	53,70
Oregon		2,020,000	25,000	2,634,978	2,274,992	359.986	89,545	1,070,000	00,101

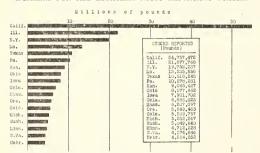
Table 40.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers) reporting canned fruits and berries.

. Class of business.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	7,021	5,454
Canners	226	158
Warehouses	172	100
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers Other wholesale dealers	4,414 3,454 960	3,576 2,768 808
Bakers	1,629	1,175
Miscellaneous_ Manufacturers of preserves_ Confectioners_ Other miscellaneous	580 58 243 279	436 49 184 203

The stocks of canned fruits and berries reported by each class of business concerns are shown by geographic divisions and states in Table 39. These figures indicate that the Pacific division ranked first in stocks reported, with the West North Central division second, the East North Central division third, and the Middle Atlantic division fourth. Turning to the figures for individual states, it may be seen that California alone reported 54,757,472 pounds, or more than one-fifth of the total for the entire country. Illinois ranked second in stocks reported, New York third, and Missouri fourth. The stocks of this commodity reported for the eighteen most important states are represented graphically in Diagram 29.

The quantities reported as in transit are shown by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 39.

Diagram 29.—Stocks of Canned Fruits and Berries Reported by Manufacturers, Storage Houses, and Wholesale Dealers for the Eighteen Most Important States.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

Nearly four-fifths of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year schedules are given by classes of business in Table 38, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 41. These figures indicate a fairly general increase in the stocks of canned fruits and berries for the different classes of concerns here considered. The increase in holdings was especially marked in the case of the canners, who reported stocks for the date of the Survey nearly three and one-half times their holdings on July 1, 1917. The total stocks reported for July 1, 1918, were 38.8 per cent larger than the corresponding stocks on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are represented graphically. for each class of business concerns except the miscellaneous group, in Diagram 30.

Diagram 30.—Stocks of Canned Fruits and Berries Reported for July 1, 1918, and July 1, 1917, by Important Classes of Business.

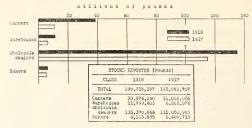


Table 41.—Comparative figures for canned fruits and berries—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1917.
United States	Pounds. 198.218,197	Pounds. 142,843,707
Geographic divisions: New England Middle Atlantic East North Central West North Central South Atlantic East South Central South Atlantic East South Central West South Central Mountain Pacific	7,470,212 26,902,869 33,041,324 34,560,371 11,151,810 7,467,619 15,500,527 15,007,674 47,115,791	7,788,454 21,483,367 30,281,715 25,597,908 8,597,137 6,264,049 11,066,622 9,305,646 22,458,809
New ENGLAND: Maine New Hampshire. Vermont Massachusetts. Rhode Island. Connecticut.	1,266,066 297,194 71,452 4,837,235 312,172 686,093	1,624,491 407,027 87,067 4,566,620 538,915 561,334
Middle Atlantic: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	15,996,856 1,493,983 9,412,030	11,925,056 1,359,409 8,198,902
East North Central: Ohio	7.175,548 2,092,297 17,776,439 4,386,778 1,610,262	6,013,528 2,546,876 17,841,415 2,399,955 1,479,941
West North Central: Minnesota. Iowa Missouri North Dakota. South Dakota. Nebraska. Kansas.	4,360,095 7,155,146 11,429,620 817,234 648,534 3,494,859 6,654,883	4,160,160 5,177,035 7,067,542 744,145 580,255 2,714,436 5,154,335
SOUTH ATLANTIC: Delaware Maryland District of Columbia Virginia West Virginia North Carolina South Carolina Georgia Florida	\$67,848 2,667,266 179,064 1,337,800 2,522,003 951,064 346,701 1,010,570 1,229,494	59,338 1,939,737 169,108 1,424,876 2,240,492 501,626 363,214 842,524 1,056,222
East South Central: Kentucky Tennessee Alabama Missistipi	3,190,391 2,250,768 1,354,578 671,882	2,494,016 1,978,489 1,298,856 492,688
West South Central: Arkunsas Louisiana Oklahoma Texas	1,125,263 1,250,632 3,750,053 9,374,579	745,661 1,024,475 2,787,131 6,509,355
MOUNTAIN: Montana Montana Myoming Colorado New Mexico Arizona Utah Nevada	3,189,267 1,627,165 232,899 5,116,756 829,528 1,142,736 2,788,885 80,438	1,427,679 979,375 240,801 3,282,205 749,233 695,076 1,878,604 52,673
Pacific: Washington Oregon California	4,483,038 5,353,364 37,279,389	3,127,944 3,187,700 16,143,165

COMMERCIAL STOCKS OF PRESERVES, MARMALADES, JELLIES, CRUSHED FRUITS, AND FRUIT SIRUPS

NOT INCLUDING RETAIL STOCKS.

The commercial stocks of preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups, together with the quantities in transit, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, by business concerns other than retail dealers, amounted to 67,922,655 pounds, comprising 64,651,075 pounds on hand and 3,271,580 pounds in transit. Of the stocks on hand, the manufacturers held 25.7 per cent; the ware-houses, 11.7 per cent; the wholesale dealers, 47.5 per cent; the confectioners, 3.0 per cent; and a miscellaneous group of firms, 12.1 per cent. The stocks reported as on hand by each of these classes of business concerns are shown in the first column of Table 42 and the quantity reported as in transit in the last column. The relative holdings reported by the different classes of concerns are shown in graphic form in Diagram 31.

The number of schedules received and tabulated for stocks of the commodities here considered is shown by classes of firms in

Table 43.

Table 42.—Stocks of preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, with comparative figures for July 1, 1917—United States totals.

	Total stocks reported		IVE FIGUR PORTING F 18 AND 19	OR BOTH	Quantity reported as in
CLASS OF BUSINESS.	as on hand	1918 st	ocks.		transit
	July 1, 1918.	Quantity.	Per cent of 1917.	1917 stocks.	July 1, 1918.
Total	Pounds. 64,651,075	Pounds. 53,715,964	122.1	Pounds. 43,978,392	Pounds. 3,271,580
Manufacturers Canners Manufacturers of preserves and	16,642,580 3,924,857	13,678,177 2,482,894	108.8 121.3	12,573,153 2,046,362	1,725,869 587,978
fruit sirups	12,717,723	11,195,283	106.4	10,526,791	1,137,891
Warehouses	7,561,989	4,548,941	123.0	3,699,730	33,000
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers_ Other wholesale	30,704,985 24,026,080	27,371,914 20,879,814	135.5 135.0	20,206,865 15,464,851	1,130,854 783,521
dealers	6,678,905	6,492,100	136.9	4,742,014	347,333
Confectioners	1,939,236	1,617,351	121.0	1,336,328	19,563
Miscellaneous Bakers Other miscellaneous	7,802,285 954,712 6,847,573	6,499,581 865,291 5,634,290	105.5 81.9 110.4	6,162,316 1,056,556 5,105,760	362,294 7,652 354,642

DIAGRAM 31.—DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL STOCKS OF PRESERVES, MARMALADES, JELLIES, CRUSHED FRUITS, AND FRUIT SIRUPS REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, BY MANUFACTURERS, STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEALERS.

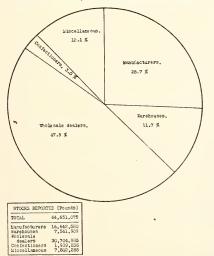


Table 43.—Number of firms (manufacturers, storage houses, and whole sale dealers) reporting preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits and fruit strups.

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Class of business.	Total number of firms reporting.	Firms reporting for both 1918 and 1917.
Total	6,168	4,885
Manufacturers Canners Manufacturers of preserves and fruit sirups	162 54 108	127 39 88
Warehouses	110	70
Wholesale dealers Wholesale grocers Other wholesale dealers	4,060 3,235 825	3,299 2,592 707
Confectioners	519	400
Miscellaneous_ Bakers_ Other miscellaneous	1,317 965 352	989 724 265

Geographic Distribution of Stocks Reported.

The geographic distribution of the commercial stocks of preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups, as reported in the Food Survey of July 1, 1918, is shown in Table 44. The Middle Atlantic division ranked first among the geographic divisions in stocks reported, with the East North Central division second. Turning to the figures for individual states, it may be seen that New York alone reported 14,167,678 pounds, or considerably more than one-fifth of the total for the entire country. Illinois ranked second in stocks reported, Pennsylvania third, Ohio fourth, California fifth, and Massachusetts sixth. The stocks reported for the eighteen most important states are graphically represented in Diagram 32.

The quantities of this commodity reported as in transit are shown by geographic divisions and states in the last column of Table 44.

DIAGRAM 32.—STOCKS OF PRESERVES, MARMALADES, JELLIES, CRUSHED FRUITS, AND FRUIT SIRUPS REPORTED BY MANU-FACTURERS, STORAGE HOUSES, AND WHOLESALE DEAL-ERS FOR THE EIGHTEEN MOST IMPORTANT STATES.



Comparative Figures for 1918 and 1917.

About 83 per cent of the returns, based on the quantity reported, gave information for July 1, 1917, as well as for July 1, 1918. Comparative figures based on these two-year schedules are given by classes of business in Table 42, and by geographic divisions and states in Table 45. These figures indicate that the stocks on hand on the date of the Survey were larger than the stocks of one year earlier in the case of all classes of business, with the single exception of one subclass in the miscellaneous group, namely, the bakers. The total stocks on July 1, 1918, were 22.1 per cent larger than the corresponding stocks on July 1, 1917. The relative stocks on the two dates are represented graphically, for the manufacturers, the warehouses, the wholesale dealers, and the confectioners, in Diagram 33.

Table 44.—Stocks of preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups, reported for July 1, 1918, by manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEO- GRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	T-4-1**					Quantity reported
T. 6	Total.*	Manu- facturers.	Ware- houses.	Wholesale dealers.	Confectioners.	as in transit on July 1, 1918.
U. S	Pounds. 64,651,075	Pounds. 16,642,580	Pounds. 7,561,989	Pounds. 30,704,985	Pounds. 1,939,236	Pounds. 3,271,58
Geog. div.:						
N. Eng.	4,801,698	827,241	1,342,168	1,113,057	204,411	142,42
Mid. Atl. E. N. C.	19,908,166	8,039,337	2,507,509	5,343,070	494,259	985,36
W. N. C.	14,055,285 6,194,858	3,085,731 20,641	1,112,570 123,998	7,724,888 5,186,381	490,127 426,132	1,236,79 93,02
S. Atl	5,272,256	584,457	1,584,824	2,799.297	82,660	260,53
E. S. C.	2,131,808	682,298	38,326	1.327,087	52,788	333,29
W. S. C	3,252,548	26,525	38,061	3,055,715	57,828	118,747
Mt Pacific	2,729,637 6,304,819	226,632 3,149,718	36,850 777,683	2,345,271 1,810,219	84,810 46,221	12,797 88,68
NEW ENG.:						
Me	228,693		11,150	135,465	3,122	1,173
N. H Vt	68,221 26,049			61,153 13,285	1,232 6,861	160
Mass	4,101,301	823,611	1,327,627	598,066	184,696	139,90
R. I	210,963		3,391	174,102		245
Conn	166,471	3,630		130,986	8,500	47
Mid. Atl.: N. Y	14 167 679	E E14 407	0.101.400	9 001 500	990 960	005 50
N. J	14,167,678 1,024,259	5,514,437 476,785	2,121,469 26,440	3,261.508 372,516	230,368 53,839	667,763 3,886
Pa	4,716,229	2,048,115	359,600	1,709,045	210,052	313,720
E. N. C.:						
Ohio	4,636,229	2,210,631	361,155	1,447,876	183,617	628,62
Ind	533,629 7,041,947	115,833 600,177	710,836	309,981 4,504,799	93,872 126,839	9,478 584.83
Mich	1,286,989	159.015	21,830	973,819	78,779	11,010
Wis	556,491	75	18,749	488,413	7,020	2,84
V. N. C.; Minn	1.040.177	4.040	0.014	011 125	70.164	05.50
Iowa	1,049,175 955,108	4,246	2,014	911,135 840,664	79,164 67,579	25,763 20,403
Mo	1,981,863	16,395	92,967	1,494,014	126,571	31,458
N. D	468,038			405,855	30,485	6,458
S. D	91,722			74,790	13,710	1,800
Nebr Kan	633,494 1,015,458		3,224 25,793	562,912 897,011	21,048 87,575	1,998 5,152
ATL.:				1		
Del	29,244	4,680		5,568	16,800	450
Md	2,107,081	424,823	1,361,280	161,345	17,750	195,357
D. C	331,571	320	177,255	142,225	3,336	4.401
Va W. Va	531,392 847,407	60,383 19,730		454,429 804,960	7,597 18,017	4,401 21,672
N. C	205,911	10,100	3,745	189,302	4,370	1,028
S. C	327,623			312,719	7,250	27,767
Ga	443,408	7,890	10	406,325	2,238	6,647
Fla.	448,619	66,631	42,534	322,424	5,302	3,215
E. S. G.: Ky	914,173	681,973		216,920	7,018	296,805
Tenn	480,586			437,073	36,469	1,981
Ala Miss	547,396 189,653	325	38,326	486,281 186,813	9,026 275	34.360 60
V. S. C.;						
Ark	380,191			342,155	35,638	1,355
La	418,458	100	18,780	389,713	2,700	5,722
Okla Texas	779,319 1,674,580	450 25,975	13,270 6,011	731,935 1,591,912	1,035 18,455	1,648 110,022
lountain:						
Mont	309,737			240.412	63,565	2,861
Idaho	424,048			198,910	5,517	373
Wyo Colo	84,421 804,430		29,215	84,191 . 741.510	12,214	548 3,742
N. M	191,714		360	190,752	588	1,585
Ariz	322,342		75	317.668	2,476	1,588
Utah	575,394	8,196	7,200	554,943	450	2,100
Nev	17,551			16.885		
Wash	1,112,104	290,653	378,835	376,945	22,235	5,500
Ore	562,857 4,629,858	21,098 2,837,967	398,848	362,351 1,070,923	8,825 15,161	53,504 29,680

^{*}Totals include 7,802,285 pounds reported by miscellaneous classes of business.

DIAGRAM 33.—STOCKS OF PRESERVES, MARMALADES, JELLIES, CRUSHED FRUITS, AND FRUIT SIRUPS REPORTED FOR JULY 1, 1918, AND JULY 1, 1917, BY IMPORTANT CLASSES OF BUSINESS.

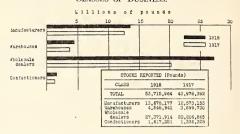


Table 45.—Comparative figures for preserves, marmalades, jellies, crushed fruits, and fruit sirups—combined stocks of manufacturers, storage houses, and wholesale dealers, by geographic divisions and states.

GEOGRAPHIC DIVISION AND STATE.	Stocks reported for July 1, 1918.	Stocks reported for July 1, 191
United States	Pounds. 53,715,964	Pounds. 43,978,3
Geographic divisions: New England. Middle Atlantic East North Central West North Central South Atlantic East South Central West South Central West South Central Mountain	2,688,978 17,622,180 12,507,053 5,431,393 4,140,762 1,894,343 2,816,507 2,282,985 4,331,763	2,954,3 14,974,1 10,681,8 4,099,9 3,467,3 1,305,9 2,376,9 1,451,2 2,666,6
New ExcLand; Maine New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts Rhode Island Connecticut	180.558 59,773 17,795 2,119,441 186,140 125,271	126.9 52,2 15,1 2.535,1 106,5 118,2
Middle Atlantic: New York New Jersey Pennsylvania	12,731,179 763,485 4,127,516	10,866,9 557,4 3,549,7
East North Central: Ohio Indiana Illinois Michigan Wisconsin	4,201,033 447,722 6,156,727 1,205,459 496,112	3,849,3 368,1 5,379,3 686,6 398,2
WEST NORTH CENTRAL: Minnesota. Iowa. Missouri North Dakota South Dakota Nebraska. Nebraska.	$\begin{array}{c} 1.004.032 \\ 859,863 \\ 1,715.941 \\ 457,038 \\ 76,521 \\ 546,543 \\ 771,455 \end{array}$	793,1 464,2 1,091,0 264,6 90,4 770,9 625,4
SOUTH ATLANTIC: Delaware. Maryland District of Columbia Virginia. West Virginia. North Carolina South Carolina Georgia. Florida.	26,940 1,724,259 259,217 375,276 586,426 185,519 252,673 320,578 409,874	17,77 1,717,77 129,88 240,5 449,90 126,66 163,38 327,42 294,00
East South Central: Kentucky Tennessee Alabama Mississippi	872,451 402,505 466,180 153,207	486,46 388,38 373,24 57,90
West South Central: Arkansas. Louisiana Oklahoma Texas	343,823 332,134 603,974 1,536,576	309,52 301,71 511,52 1,254,22
MOUNTAIN: Montana Idaho Wyoming Golorado New Mexico Arizona Utah Nevada	248,303 202,822 58,074 796,626 143,115 249,992 566,502 17,551	134,60 127,40 28,59 491,51 123,52 195,83 337,29 12,78
Pacific: Washington Oregon Galifornia	1,085,024 453,147 2,793,592	455,39 282,70 1,928,50